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At 11 o'clock A. M.,
for the purpose of selecting two candidates for Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, and four delegates at large, and four alternates to attend the National Convention to be held in Chicago, Illinois, on Tuesday, June 19th, 1888, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, also for each twenty votes cast for John P. Hale for Governor in 1886, and additional delegate, and for a fraction of forty votes in excess of twenty the other and additional delegate.

The State Committee will be in session in the committee room of the Hall at nine o'clock on the morning of said Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

All citizens of Maine, without regard to past political differences, who are in hearty accord with the principles expressed in the call of the national Republican Convention, and who intend to support the nominees for President and Vice President of said National Convention, are cordially invited to join with the Republicans of this State in selecting delegates to said Convention.

By Order Republican State Committee.
JOSEPH H. MANLEY, Chairman.
WILLIS E. PARSONS, Secretary.
Augusta, Maine, February 11, 1888.

Arrangement of Trains.

The Republican State Committee have made the following Railroad arrangements for the Republican State Convention:

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STATE NEWS.

AUDROSCOGGIN.

Madame Angelique Landry, living on the Androscoggin Block, Lewiston, took advantage of the excursion of April 12th to go to Canada to visit her friends and family in Ste Helene de Kamouraska. In stepping out of the cars at the end of the journey she was suddenly stricken by paralysis and died upon the platform. She had several sons and daughters in Lewiston. She was an aged woman.

David F. Noyes, of Lewiston, is busy with his patent drying machine. He was in East Boston last week, putting in one of them, and has orders for six or more to be put up in June. The Chicago agent's notify him that they have orders to the amount of over 30,000 feet capacity, for the months of February and March. He is going to Worcester, Mass., to put in a big one for Norcross Bros., and will take Goodwin, the Lewiston steam-fitter, with him. Mr. Noyes is one of the most active men in the city.

CUMBERLAND.

The exports last week from Portland were 704,228 feet of lumber, 1,164 empties and two cases machinery, the imports were 11,[illegible] ties, 1,168 hogsheads, 147 pieces of molasses.

Mrs. Nellie Alley, aged 28 years, has been stopping at No. 22 Park street, Portland, for about six weeks. Saturday she went out and the most diligent search fails to find her. She left behind her a year old child.

J. C. Larrabee, picture frame manufacturer, Portland, died in his chair at his residence on Federal street Saturday. He was on the street Friday. Mr. Larrabee was the oldest man in his line of business in the city. Before the fire he had a store on Union street.

A man named Jackson, an old offender, broke a pane of glass in Davis' clothing store at the foot of Exchange street, Portland, Saturday night, and officers McDonough, Riley, Sparrow and Hicks caught him in the store. Jackson committed a burglary in this store four years ago.

Over a hundred men will be kept at work at Cushing's Island on the hotel, the four new cottages, roads and trees until July. More than 2,000 trees have been set out. Mr. William Murray has contracted to carry out Mr. Olmstead, the landscape gardener's, plans this spring.

A well dressed woman about twenty-eight years old, named O'Brion nee Weymouth, was arrested by officers Miles and McGrath Saturday night at the Boston & Maine depot, in Portland, on suspicion of having stolen sixteen dollars from the clothing of a boarder in a house on Free street where she was employed as a domestic.

When Rev. Marion Crosley became pastor of the Church of the Messiah, a debt of over $3,000 rested on the church. He went to work energetically and has succeeded in clearing off the entire debt, and in few days the legal formalities will be gone through with, which will restore the church building to the parish.

At the northeast end of Beaver pond, Saccarappa, hundreds of dead fish, pickerel of large size, perch, suckers, eels, etc., attract much attention and conjecture as to the cause of their death. The ice is just beginning to break up. The cause of the disaster is also distinctly without doubt the cold weather. They probably got caught in a lake, the water being shallow and were frozen to death. Probably as the ice continues to melt more dead fish will come to the surface.

HANCOCK.

E. J. Maxfield, of Lamoine, ninety-three years old, and a veteran of the Mexican and Aroostook wars, is said to be the oldest man in Hancock county.

While blasting in the quarry of Shields & Carroll, pieces of granite were thrown some distance, one piece striking Mr. Wendelkins on the shoulder, making a severe wound. Pieces from the same blast were hurled against the house of F. P. Wood, doing some damage.

KENNEBEC.

Bids were opened Friday, by the Supervising Architect of the Treasury for material to complete the masonry work on the public building at Augusta. The bidders were as follows: Horace Princeton & Co., Waterville, $27,547; Bodwell Granite Company, Rockland, $27,930; the Maine Granite and Improvement Company, Washington, D. C., $28,500.

C. H. Nelson, the Waterville horse dealer, is on his way to Kentucky to secure a stallion to take the place of the Wilkes Clay animal that recently died. He shipped three valuable horses to Boston, Tuesday, and on Wednesday he shipped two others, one a very fine colored, by Director Chief, and the other a valuable roadster, to G. G. Hall, of the Adams House, Boston. There have been shipped from Smangus Farm an average of five horses a week for six weeks.

Algie Currier, the talented young artist and figure painter of Hallowell, who between $100,000 through the death of his grandfather, is winning laurels in Paris, where he has been studying under the masters for several years. Recently, in addition to the two paintings accepted at the salon, he finds that two water colors have been admitted, all taking No. 2, which is a very unusual circumstance for a student, both as regards the number of pictures and rank.

The Saturday morning train from Skowhegan was derailed at Waterville between the car shops and the depot. The engineer and fireman both jumped and thereby saved their lives. Every car left the rails and thoroughly shook up all the way from the engine. The engine jumped over on its side and was badly injured, and the track was ripped up and generally demolished. Not a person was injured, though several were badly shaken up. The passengers were taken aboard the train which arrived in Augusta at ten o'clock.

John B. Lord, aged ninety-one years, who died at Hallowell, Wednesday, was probably one of the oldest Masons in Maine, having joined Kennebec Lodge of Hallowell in 1818. He was one of the best known and most successful builders in New England. Among other buildings which he constructed were the State House at Augusta, and he also built a portion of the Insane Hospital in that city. Mr. Lord leaves a widow and two sons, John Lord, Jr., who resides at Hallowell, and another in New Jersey; he also leaves a daughter, who is the wife of Dr. J. L. A. Howes, of Hallowell. Mr. Lord was formerly boss carpenter of the United States Armory in Springfield, Mass.

SOMERSET.

The capacity of the new hotel at Spring House will be twenty-four rooms, besides parlors, office, dining rooms, etc. It will cost about $4,000. The sale of Springs Association now owns four islands, viz: Isle of Springs, Gunpowder Island, Inner Ram Island and Outer Ram Island. The hotel will have an elevation of 286 feet. The following gentlemen will build cottages: Albert Young, M. S. S. Hersey, Dr. Stergis, H. Wesley Hutchins and Dr. Smith of Lewiston, and Mr. M. S. Campbell of Augusta.

YORK.

A benevolent lady has purchased several acres of land in the town of Elliot, and has erected there an house containing twenty rooms, to be called "Rosemary Cottage," where tired mothers, feeble children and overworked shop girls can find a temporary respite from the burdens of poverty and toil.

Short Cuts.

A Georgia hen turkey has laid one hundred and twelve eggs in as many days.

The most densely populated islands on the globe are said to be Barbadoes and Malta.

A type-setting machine company has been formed at Albany with a capital of $600,000.

W. Dudley, Ohio, some boys found a tomato-tin containing thirty-six gold rings, valued at $200, in a bird's nest in the roof of a railroad bridge.

Rome is growing so fast that many of its most interesting features are disappearing. The magnificent Ludovisi Gardens are to be cut up for house lots.

There is a hotel in Philadelphia where tooth brushes are bought by the gross to clean the white-painted stalls and head rails, which prevail in the Colonial style.

In order to secure early closing in the shops employing girls in Allegheny City, two hundred ladies have organized and resolved to trade at no store that keeps open after six o'clock in the evening.

An unique fire happened in Page county, Va. A house was set on fire by the burning swallows that flew out of a chimney, and the flames were extinguished with several barrels of hard cider that were at hand.

St. Louis *Globe-Democrat*. For President in 1888, Mr. Barnes, of New York; for Vice President, Mr. Potter, of Texas. This is our one hundred and fifteenth and last ticket. We now turn the matter over to the Chicago convention.

It is estimated that insects do $150,000,000 worth of damage in this country every year. Farmers' wives and daughters, who decide to protect the crops, will be able to save money enough for the most expensive spring bonnets.

Rufus Weston and his son, farmers living near Beaver Falls, Penn., recently ploughed up in a field so old can that contained a number of gold coins, amounting in all to $325. Most of the coins bear dates of forty and fifty years ago.

On the birthday anniversary of the baby King of Spain, 12,000 meat pies, as many cakes and oranges, and 1,500 pounds of sweets have been ordered to regale the school children of Madrid, who will sing hymns and odes to their young sovereign.

Queen Victoria is the first English reigning sovereign who has visited Florence since the time of the Crusades, when Richard I. passed through the city. For some years the widow of Charles the Pretender lived in Florence and two years ago the Princess Mary of Cambridge passed the winter there.

Burbee Greeley, a brother of the founder of the *Tribune*, is a farmer in Pennsylvania. He attributes his excellent physical condition at the age of 75 to the small amount of water he uses, both as a beverage and for cleaning purposes. Chickens and pigs are his favorite live stock, and they learn at will over his house.

Johann Schmidt, a new messenger in the Navy Department at Washington, is extremely nervous, forgetting, it is claimed, never having seen one until a few days ago. He was obliged to answer a call from the telegraph most recently, and his incoherent answers exasperated the speaker at the other end of the line. "You must have been drinking," Schmidt heard the angry individual exclaim. "No, I haven't," said the messenger gently. "It must be the strong tobacco I am chewing that gives you a smell."

General Crook, the famous Indian fighter, stands six feet in his stockings, and is as straight as an arrow. He has been thirty-six years in the service, and knows his business thoroughly. When on the war-path General Crook wears an old canvas suit, said to be worth $1 25. He rides at the head of his column on a mule, with a rifle across his arm.

Miss Helen Blanchard, now a resident of Philadelphia, is a Maine girl, who has made a fortune through the invention of a simple "over-and-under" attachment for sewing machines. When she discovered the device she had to borrow money to pay the first patent office fee. She now owns large estates, a manufactory, and many patent rights that yield her a large income in royalties.

Mart Duggan, ex-city marshal of Leadville, Col., who was shot and killed in that city a few days ago, had long had the reputation of being one of the bravest men in the west. He was marshal of Leadville during the exciting times of 1879-83, when the city was filled with desperate characters, and he performed the duties of his office with a fidelity and unflinching courage that won every one's admiration.

Mr. Conkling's memory was as wonderful as his mind was strong. It was his custom to carefully prepare in writing a speech to which he attached importance, and when it was finished he could go upon the stage or the floor and deliver it serviceably word for word, without the variation of a word. He could repeat whole pages from Shakespeare and other poets, with perfect accuracy and without effort, for hours at a time.

A ladies' bicycle club has been formed in Washington, and although but a week old comprises thirty members. It is composed largely of artists and musicians. The ladies say that the lumbering tricycle has had its day, while the new bicycle answers all requirements for ladies. It is difficult for a woman to be graceful on a tricycle. The bicycle riding costume will be a tight-fitting body of Norfolk jacket, full skirt, walking length, and riding hat and gloves.

The cape called "La Tosca" is made for spring and summer wear, of various fabrics, brocade silk being a favorite. It is handsomely lined and richly decorated, and its peculiarity is the high collar, which is shaped to the neck without any seam going round it. A model made in old Tower style, has close-green velvet, lined with pale yellow-green satin, and ornamented with a rich embroidery of gold and emerald beads. The pelerine is very handsome for those to whom it is becoming. Another wrap is called the Princess, made in pelerine style, with open sleeves that reach just to the elbow. The fronts fit closely and at the lower edge is placed a gathered piece of lace finishing that falls to the edge of the skirt here. This wrap is graceful and pretty in lace and silk, in lace alone, in black or white, and also in figured grenadine for matrons.

For wearing in the house with silk or muslin skirts, are loose jackets of India and China silks, trimmed with the new colored silk laces or with Valenciennes. Some have lace vests with straight, loose fronts and shorter backs fitted very closely, with handsome ribbons in front only, while others are shirred on the shoulders and again at the waist line. In many of these garments the gathering or shirring of the sleeves are used. There are also charming morning jackets from Paris houses, made of Rhadiwe red silk, striped with white and blue, and trimmed with red Irish point lace. White pique cloth jackets are dainty and fitting to a summer wardrobe, these are edged, and bordered with a narrow braid, or braided at home, the cost is comparatively little. Stamping designs of any character, and which can now be purchased at nearly every store where fancy goods are sold.

Bar Harbor.

THE WORK OF PREPARATION FOR THE SUMMER SEASON.

Bar Harbor is getting in readiness for the advent of its annual summer visitors. Since the last season ended, the work of preparation has been going on with wonderful activity. Improvements are to be seen on every hand. Fifty new cottages have been built and fourteen enlarged. Fourteen have been built on Eagle Lake road, four on Eden street, four on Hulls Cove, two on Hancock street, seven on Kebo street, five on Hodge Lane avenue, four on Zion's hill, and the rest scattered elsewhere. Six new stores and one business block have been erected. The stores and most of the cottages have been built by the native population with a view to renting to summer sojourners. Non-residents have built seventeen cottages. On Eagle Lake road two have been built by Miss H. C. Wilkins and Mrs. M. D. Saunders, respectively, of Philadelphia. On Eden street, Mrs. Rufus King, of New York, A. D. Addison, of Washington, D. C., and Dr. Jayne, of Philadelphia, have built. At Hull's Cove, Mrs. Van Doren, New York, C. Wyllis Yulee, Florida, Mrs. Frances L. Barnes, New York, and J. Pierpont Edwards, of New York, have built. The latter has named his cottage "Bantcote." On Kebo street, three have been put up by De Grasse Fox, of Philadelphia, and one each by Clermont Livingston, of New York, who has named his "Marigold," and Clarmont de Peyster, of New York, who calls his "The Bowlder." William Lawrence, Brookline, Mass., and E. W. Bass, West Point, N. Y. On Highbrook road, Capt. George M. Wheeler, Washington, D. C., has erected one. Mrs. W. B. Howard, Chicago, Mrs. George Place, New York, and Edmund Pendleton, of Cincinnati, have enlarged their cottages on Eden street; Mrs. Morris Longstreth, Philadelphia, Col. John Markoe, Philadelphia, and D. B. Ogden, of New York, have enlarged theirs on Main street; Miss Shannon, of Newton, Mass., has enlarged hers on Mt. Desert street, and G. R. Minot, Boston, and F. M. Wood, Boston, have enlarged theirs in The Field.

Perhaps the most expensive cottage that has been erected is that of Capt. George M. Wheeler, of Washington, D. C. It is on the Highbrook road, and located east of Moseley Hall, the cottage of W. B. Howard, of Chicago. The first story of the main house is of reddish granite, and the remaining parts of wood covered with unpainted shingles. The southern end, from the second story up, is in the form of a circle, supported by five granite pillars. It is on a slightly embankment and makes an imposing appearance, resembling one of the castles of the old world. The dark red two-story cottage of Mrs. H. C. Wilkins, of Philadelphia, is an attractive one on account of its peculiar architecture, which is a combination of oddities.

The two-story cottage of Col. E. W. Barr, of West Point, has a broad veranda, arched loggia and heavily corbeled gables. Mr. Edmund Pendleton, of Cincinnati, has erected a more cottage-like cottage, which he intends to build on Atlantic avenue. Mrs. Washington and Miss Washington, of Philadelphia, will each build on Highbrook road, and J. Hewitt Webb contemplates building on Schoodic Hill, where he has bought a lot. The Rodicks propose building a block of stores at the corner of Main and Cottage streets. The demand for stores was never so great as now. Among those who have bought stores for the coming season are George H. Crowley, Lord, Hollander & Co., and Jordan, Marsh & Co., of Boston; Alexander J. Dowling, Koopman & Co., and A. Caramanna, of New York; H. Ingersoll, of New Haven, and O. E. Udall, of Jacksonville, Fla.

Most of the hotels are undergoing interior improvements. Nearly every mail is bringing applications for rooms. The Louisburg, owned by Miss Balch, of Boston, and managed by W. E. Richardson, is being enlarged and remodelled so that sixty-eight additional rooms will be provided for guests, making the total number of rooms one hundred and thirty.

The electric light system has been greatly improved since last year. This summer there will be two thousand lights in operation. The new cottage of E. W. Bass has been wired for forty-five lights.

Bar Harbor will be under better sanitary conditions this season than ever before. Already over $100,000 has been expended on the new sewerage. It is being constructed with an eye to future needs.

A new drive is being opened between Schooner Head and Otter Creek, to be known as the Sand Beach road. It is expected to be finished by midsummer, and will cost $5,000. The Corniche road, another drive, has been opened to Hull's Cove.

The Bar Harbor Canoe Club has nearly completed a cozy little clubhouse, with a broad piazza, and containing a big dressing room, bathrooms and other necessary conveniences. The building rests on piles at the northwest shore of Bar Island. Mr. Edmund Pendleton, of Cincinnati, is commodore of the canoe fleet, whose races are one of the attractive features of Bar Harbor life.

The trotting park on Eagle Lake road has passed into new hands, and a new race course and grand stand will be built. The grounds are to be laid out by a landscape gardener, with flower beds and paths. Heretofore such out-of-door sports as tennis, croquet and base ball games have been played on private grounds. Hereafter the Bar Harbor club will take place at the park. It is also proposed to build a casino in the park, similar to that at Newport, at a cost of $30,000. The plans, which have been drawn, embrace a library, wine room, billiard room, dining hall, billiard room, parlors, and a theatre with a stage 22x24.

A music hall has been erected on Maine street for public entertainments, with a seating capacity for 450 persons.

The Oasis club has built a walk extending from the piazza of its club house over the low path to the sea wall, where a pier has been constructed, for the benefit of their yachting members and guests.

New Books.

Agatha Page, by Isaac Henderson. This novel, though perhaps not as powerfully written as The Prelate which this author published about two years ago, is one of the best novels we have had since then. The scene is laid in the Brianza near Lake Como, and in Rome. The heroine whose name is on the title page is of American parentage, while the others are chiefly Italians of wealth and title. The numerous characters are skillfully portrayed, the plot is well conceived, and the interest is sustained throughout the book which has more than four hundred pages. Published by Ticknor & Co., Boston. For sale by D. Bugbee & Co., price $1.50.

St Albans Letter.

(Regular Correspondence of Whig and Courier.)

At a Republican caucus held at Town Hall, Friday, April 20, the following delegates were chosen to attend the State Convention, to be held at Bangor, April 26, 1888: N. H. Valentine, I. O. Winslow, E. G. Baker, L. C. Dillingham, Alexander, A. E. Fuller, J. Chandler, S. A. Maxim and J. W. Patten. To District Convention at Waterville, April 25, M. L. Merrill, I. O. Winslow, Wilson Bigelow and H. W. Brackett. In the absence of the Chairman of Town Committee, the caucus was called to order by the Secretary, I. W. Patten and S. H. Goodwin called to preside. On taking the chair, Mr. Goodwin made some able and appropriate remarks, followed by the Secretary, I. O. Winslow, Esq., A. E. Fuller and others present, showing that the enthusiastic Republicans of St. Albans will speak out loud at the coming fall elections. The following gentlemen were chosen as alternates to attend the Convention at Waterville, H. Cyphers, N. B. Turner, G. G. Mower and D. R. Longley.

From an E. Moody, the man who was wounded in the arm by a rifle bullet in the hands of one Reynolds, at a house in Palmyra, recently, is doing as well as could be expected. The bone in his arm was so badly shattered that it was necessary to amputate his arm at the elbow.

A good pitch of water has enabled the Thompson Bros. to start their mill, and a large amount of lumber has been delivered at the mill yard to be sawed. A Mr. Knowles from Corinna has charge of their rotary saw.

L. C. Dillingham, Esq., the proprietor of the Sebasticook House, has bought out the stage line to Hartland and has engaged Walter Douglas as driver. He has put on a two-horse coach and is prepared to accommodate the travelling public both on the road and at his hotel.

Death of a Famous Trotter.

DEXTER FINISHES HIS THIRTY YEARS—ROBERT BONNER, HIS OWNER, WILL BURY HIM AT TARRYTOWN—HIS PEDIGREE AND RECORD.

Robert Bonner's world-renowned brown trotting gelding Dexter died in his stable in West Fifty-fifth street at five o'clock Sunday morning. Nothing was the matter with him but sheer old age, and he went to the happy trotting grounds full of years and honors. Mr. Bonner, who is naturally sorry to lose his old favorite, talked to a reporter about the horse's memorable career.

"Dexter," he said, "was foaled in April, 1858, and was the son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian, the great progenitor of trotters, and the grandfather of Maud S. I bought him in August, 1867, from Mr. Fawcett, of Chicago, for $35,000, and he entered my stable in September of that year. Dexter had then made his reputation, and was accounted the best trotting horse in the world. His record was 2 minutes, 17¼ seconds. Turf, Field and Farm thus commented on my purchase: 'The gallant little son of Hambletonian. . . . In the public career in a blaze of glory, and retires into private life the hero of the fastest race on the kind in the world, and the peerless star and marvel of the times. . . . Dexter is now in proper hands. His great power and wonderful speed are appropriately matched with the energy and enterprise of the indefatigable Bonner. Both man and horse move in the front ranks, and they correctly represent the spirit of the age.'

"While in my possession Dexter beat his own record frequently, to 2 minutes, 16 seconds. I also drove him the fastest mile that any horse ever made with a road wagon. He did it in 2 minutes, 11½ seconds. To his time there was nothing in the world at all to be compared with him. He had a greater reputation in his day than Maud S. You see, tracks have been improved a great deal. To mention one cause of this, we have now the Griffin scraper, that will plane the track off and leave it like a billiard table, so that the wheels will glide over it without friction. This will reduce the time at least two seconds. Again, we have lighter sulkies, and we have improvements in shoeing now. Dexter stood about 15 hands 1½ inches high. He was a horse of great nerve and energy, and when I bought him it was supposed that he had so much 'grit' that I could not drive him on the road. His trainer, Doble, said, 'I'll have him back again in three weeks, because Mr. Bonner can't control him.' Within six weeks after that, Mr. Doble came to me, not to get Dexter back, but to borrow a bridle that I think will control any horse. It was invented by a physician of Lancaster County, Penn. I could, with this bridle, control Dexter with perfect ease.

"Dexter was useful up to his twenty-eighth year. For the last two years he has had only walking exercise and we have taken the best care of him that we could, because of the good work that he has done. Maud S. is now fourteen years of age. Her record, as you know, is 2 minutes 8¼ seconds. But trotting horses when they remain sound, make their best time at the age of 13 or 17. Trotting is an acquired gait and the more practice they have the better they become. At o'clock this morning I employed a truck to take Dexter's body to my Tarrytown farm and bury him there. It would not do to send a horse like Dexter to the boneyard."

"Will you erect a monument for him, Mr. Bonner?"

"No, I don't believe in monuments for horses. A monument is one extreme and a boneyard the other. No, I shall have his body buried in a little plot up at the farm."

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WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1888.

FOURTH CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT.

Republican Convention.

The Republican Convention of the Fourth Congressional District will be held in City Hall, Bangor, Tuesday, April 25th, at 9:30 A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress, also of selecting a candidate for Elector of President and Vice President of the United States, and two delegates, and two alternates to attend the National convention to be held at Chicago, Illinois, Tuesday, June 19th, 1888, and transacting any other business that may properly come before it.

The basis of representation will be as follows: Each city, town and plantation will be entitled to one delegate, and for each seventy five votes cast for the Republican candidate for Governor in 1886, one additional delegate, and for a fraction of two-thirds excess of seventy five votes, an additional delegate.

The District Committee will be in session in the Union Office, and located at 9 o'clock on the morning of the Convention, for the purpose of receiving the credentials of delegates.

L. H. WOODBURY, Dover,
HORATIO KNOWLES, Shirley,
JAMES WEYMOUTH, Old Town,
L. TUMBERT, Houlton,
L. PLUMER, Presque Isle,
A. McCULLOUGH, Calais,
J. NEY NASH, Addison,
District Committee, Fourth Congressional District.

Dated March 20th, 1888.

West Virginia is choosing Blaine delegates to Chicago.

The Boston *Journal* says Mr. Blaine is a candidate but no one can foretell the result of the convention. It adds that matters stand to-day Mr. Blaine is liable to land in New York to hear that he has been nominated.

To-day's Herald convention day and a great many Republicans from different parts of the state will be in the city. The Republican Club should get its rooms in readiness to be thrown open to the visitors that occasion and give all who call a hearty greeting.

Republican primary elections were held in Washington Territory Saturday. The returns indicate that the delegation to the National Convention is without instructions. In Seattle tickets headed "For President, James G. Blaine," were elected by overwhelming majorities in every ward.

The New York *Independent* has committed "the unpardonable sin in the eyes of the Boston *Herald* by exposing the hypocrisy of President Cleveland. Having torn the mask and left the bogus reformer clear revealed in his true character of political machine spoilsman, the *Herald* asks that the independence of the *Independent* be "discouraged." It is not surprising that the *Herald* fails to recognize anything but the pinchbeck independence which is a conspicuous adjunct, during years the Cleveland collar so long is its highest ambition is to be known as the apologist of the Administration.

Conventions held Saturday disclose four more delegates from New York to the Republican National Convention. These are Senator William H. Robertson and ex-Speaker James W. Husted, in the XIVth Congressional District, and Senator J. Sloat Fassett and John W. Dwight, State committeeman in the XXVIIth Congressional District. Both Mr. Robertson and Husted are strong personal friends of Blaine and Mr. Depew. Mr. Robertson a few days ago said: "I am for Mr. Blaine first and for Mr. Depew second, and I have no third choice." Beyond dispute Mr. Husted holds the same position.

Texas Republicans are overwhelmingly for Blaine, a fact shown by interviews with the most prominent members of the party published in the Topeka *Capital*. There are numerous little booms floating out in the country but when one starts to third anything like a popular sentiment confined to no particular locality the only name he ever utters is that of Blaine of Maine. In this state there is no doubt certainly be expected only one opinion and no second choice, but in New York feeling in favor of Blaine is scarcely pronounced while from the West comes the verdict as given in the Topeka *Capital*: "We want Blaine."

Secretary Whitney has evolved a neat scheme to assist the Democratic ticket, which will be likely to get a black eye when it comes before Congress. He is very anxious to have Congress pass the Naval Appropriation bill in a lump sum and give him exclusive control of its distribution. Secretary Whitney may be great a glorious patriot and above the practices usually followed by New York politicians in Presidential years, but it can be down as certain that the Republicans will never consent to the passage of an act which will permit him to pack the navy yards of the country with active workers previous to the election.

It is asserted by Democratic authority, as a Washington despatch, that the manufacturing firm to which the contract for Turkish envelopes, etc., was recently awarded by the Post Office Department is a member of the "Envelope Trust." It would seem to be in order for Speaker Carlisle's "annex" to the Ways and Means Committee—the Committee on Manufactures—to look into this matter. In his speech opening the debate on the "Dark Internal" bill, "Premier" Mills denounced "pools, trusts and combinations" in unmeasured terms, although he is bitterly opposed to any legislation to the detriment of the "Whiskey Trust." If he can show that the artless and unsophisticated Postmaster General has fallen into the clutches of a "trust," it will be a great feather in "Mills' cap.

Congressman D. B. Henderson, of Iowa, was called upon recently and his attention invited to the following item and asked if it correctly stated the situation in his State:

Iowa is a Republican State, isn't it? There is an impression abroad to that effect. Well, according to reports, Iowa is very much interested in tariff reform. President Cleveland and the Mills bill are popular in the State, and the farmers are preparing to speak out at the election next fall. Will the Republicans kindly tell us how these things can be? Has Iowa discovered that protection doesn't protect the people?

Mr. Henderson, after reading the article said: "This is absolutely false, we have had no election in Iowa in which free trade has triumphed. The farmers control the Republican State Convention and our Republican platforms have been bold and outspoken for protecting American labor and American industries, and on that platform we have never met a defeat. So, too, our Iowa farmers in their late State Conference boldly declared for protection. The free trade declarations of the President and the hostile attitude of the Democracy toward American prosperity have strengthened the Republican party in Iowa."

"Blaine's campaign how it is being worked by the New York *Tribune*" is the heading the *Commercial* runs over an Associated Press despatch in which the *Tribune* denounces the contemptible lies published in the Cleveland organs regarding Mr. Blaine's health. The favorite occupation of the more conspicuous Cleveland organs is to fabricate some yarn about Mr. Blaine and then when it is denied point to the denial as a Republican scheme to keep his name before the people. This practice has been handed down to the little fellows and the *Commercial* toots its penny trumpet in unison with the others. Mr. Blaine's enemies are worried about his health. His friends know that it is sufficiently robust to go through the coming Presidential campaign—and his enemies fear that it is too true.

A Filibuster's District.

[From the Chicago Journal.]

Congressman William C. Oates was the pugnacious, boastful and arrogant leader of the revolutionary obstructionists in Congress. He represents a small portion of the population residing in the Third Alabama District. He was a Colonel in the rebel army. He was technically "reconstructed" and was a Democratic candidate for Congress in the Second Alabama District in 1872. That district then contained six of the counties now in the Third District. But a fair election was held, and a full vote polled. Mr. Oates received 16,221 votes, and James T. Rapier, his Republican opponent, received 16,997 votes—a majority of 3,176. Four counties (including the populous city of Montgomery) have since been taken from the district, and its present voting population, according to race, is, whites, 19,393; colored, 9,653 or a white majority of 740. Mr. Oates was again a candidate in 1884, and was elected. He was re-elected in 1886—without opposition! There was not a vote cast against him by a white Republican, nor by any one of the 9,653 colored Republicans in the district.

The following table shows the voting population, white and colored, in the district which Mr. Oates claims to represent, with the vote for Congressman in 1886:

	White voters	Colored voters	Oates	Republican
Barbour,	3,039	166	960	None!
Bullock,	992	3,157	150	None!
Coffee,	976	184	418	None!
Dale,	1,507	303	584	None!
Geneva,	517	73	293	None!
Henry,	1,713	959	825	None!
Lee,	1,745	2,166	623	None!
Russell,	881	2,651	851	None!
Totals,	10,393	9,653	1,660	NONE!

It will be seen that out of almost 20,000 votes in the district but 4,000 were east—or at least only that number were allowed to be counted. This is the impertinent and pestiferous rebel leader who charged the two-thirds majority in Congress with "villadorlag" the factious and recalcitrant minority under his vicious leadership. In his district the kuklux have so effectually terrorized white and black Republicans alike that less than 5,000 white Democrats think it unnecessary to go to the polls in a district where there are twice that number of Republican voters. This is one of the districts where the rebels have regained by force and fraud all that they lost by the war. And this is but a specimen of many districts in the South, and of the methods by which the ascendancy of rebel Democracy is maintained.

The Fisheries.

CONGRESSMAN DINGLEY REPUTES A CHARGE BY A BOSTON PAPER.

[Special Despatch to the Boston Journal.]

"What have you to say to the charge of a Boston paper that three-fourths of the fishermen employed on New England fishing vessels are foreigners, most of them Canadians?" your correspondent inquired of Congressman Dingley, of Maine.

"I am surprised," he replied, "that any intelligent person should make such a statement, because the official returns made annually to the Treasury Department and collected by the Commissioner of Fisheries disprove the assertion. There need not be any guessing in matters of this kind. Here are two official returns for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1887, which have been obtained at the office of Fish Commissioner McDonald: The whole number of vessels employed in the New England fishing industry, 1,311; number of men on vessels, 13,300. Of these 5,317, or 70 per cent., were American citizens, 2,252 Canadians and 1,771 other foreign nationalities, part of them Canadians and most of the latter residents and intending citizens. The proportion of American citizens on the 505 Maine fishing vessels was 90 per cent. I have got the footings for Massachusetts vessels alone for the last year, but the census taken by Col. Wright in 1885 showed that of 16,135 persons employed in all branches of the fishing industry in that State in that year 9,350 were American citizens, and a large proportion of the foreigners were residents. There were only 850 Canadians who have not become residents.

You will remember that the late Secretary Manning, in his report of the fisheries one year ago, stated that 78 per cent. of those employed in the fisheries of the United States are American citizens, of the balance, at least 12 per cent. are residents in States, certainly, and I presume it is so elsewhere, citizens are engaged when they can be found, and, as a rule, they go on shares. Considering the great difficulty with which our fishermen are maintaining their business in the face of the wholesale shipments of Canadian artificially frozen or preserved fish as fresh for immediate consumption free of duty, not to mention the increased expenses incurred by our vessels in consequence of the refusal of the Canadians to allow our fishing vessels to enter their ports to purchase provisions, bait, ice or supplies, or to tranship fish in bond to the United States, it is certainly surprising that any one should endeavor to prevent relief by representing that our fishermen are mostly foreigners.

In case of war with a naval power we should have to rely largely on these hardy fishermen to man the cruisers that would be required for defense, and I venture to say that of the 39,400 on our fishing vessels at least 12,000 are in full sympathy with the Stars and Stripes. Congress will not only do grave injury to a large body of our most deserving citizens, but also deprive the Nation of the most valuable nursery of seamen to man our vessels in time of need, if the interests of our fishermen are not faithfully protected."

Special Notices.

NOROMBEGA LODGE.

Regular session this (Wednesday) evening at 8 o'clock, at Pythian Hall. A full attendance is requested.

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Receives deposits subject to check, upon which interest is allowed, and is by its charter made a legal depository for funds held by officers of towns, counties and courts, and persons holding funds in a fiduciary capacity. Discounts commercial paper, makes collections throughout the world and buys and sells foreign exchange.

Acts as executors of wills, administrator, guardian, or trustee by probate, assignee in insolvency, trustee under mortgages, and as fiscal agent of estates, municipal and business corporations and individuals.

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GEORGE B. CARNEY, Secretary.
CHARLES D. CROSBY, Assistant Treas.

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CAPITAL One Million Dollars,

Assets, $2,382,495.99.

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Cargoes, Freights and Hulls written at a moment's notice, and upon the most favorable terms.

Special attention given to insuring merchandise per Steamers from New York and Boston, at the lowest rates of premium.

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MIDDLESEX BANKING CO.

Middletown, Conn.

CHARTERED 1872.

Capital Paid in, $600,000.

Reports to Bank Commissioners made Quarterly. Examinations by them Semi annually.

6 per cent. Notes secured by FIRST MORTGAGES upon improved Real Estate, payment of principal and interest guaranteed, in denominations of $100 to $1,000; and Six Per Cent. Coupon Bonds, secured by the deposit of such mortgage notes with the Security Company of Hartford, as Trustee, in denominations of $500 and $1,000.

ADVANTAGES OF THIS INVESTMENT.

1st—The MIDDLESEX BANKING COMPANY is the only Connecticut Bank offering such guaranteed securities.

2d—It is under the supervision of, and subject to examination by, the State Bank Commissioners.

3d—Its loans are made by its own Stockholders only, whose interests are identical with those of the Company.

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5th—It has had A LONG and SUCCESSFUL EXPERIENCE, no payment of matured principal or interest having been delayed for a day.

Additional particulars on application to

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MRS. ROBINSON'S Spring Announcement!

I have a fine line of Art Materials, and am pleased to give any information in Art Needle Work. I have just added to my large stock of stamping Patterns many new ones, especially Bedding Patterns. Having recently attended the spring openings in Boston, I am prepared to make Misses' and Children's Spring Costumes in the very latest styles.

MRS. ROBINSON, No. 1 Middle street.

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ECONOMIZE.

If you think that you are too poor to afford a policy of life insurance it is the strongest possible reason why you should not delay securing it. What could your wife and children do if they were deprived of the income you are daily producing? Better by far economize and save enough to secure protection for those loved ones. A policy of life insurance is the Connecticut will do it effectually.

Life and Endowment policies issued by the

Connecticut Mutual Life Ins. Co.

with cash and paid up value endorsed on each contract.

H. N. FAIRBANKS, General Agent, BANGOR, - - - MAINE.

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Pretty Dresses Make Pretty Children!

Misses' and Children's Costumes cut by actual measurement and by the most approved Styles. A perfect Fit guaranteed.

MRS. ROBINSON, No. 1 Middle Street.

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ACCOUNTS AND CLAIMS.

The Committee on Accounts and Claims will be in session at the Auditor's Room, City Hall, on the MONDAY next preceding the First Tuesday of each month, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of auditing bills against the city. Bills must be left with the City Clerk or the Committee, on or before that date. Bills must be approved by the Committee on each officer of the Department under which the same was contracted before being presented.

P. O. BEALE, Chairman.

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A Lot of Work Horses For Sale.

Apply to C. MURPHY, or C. M. WHITE, Old Town.

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MARRIED.

In Carmel, April 22, by J. A. Farnham, Esq., Charles R. Oliver of Carmel, and Mrs. Abbie Gates of Kingman.

In this city, April 24th, at the residence of the bride's mother on First Street, by Rev. R. R. Peck, Mr. Leslie E. Tozier and Miss May W. Peckham, both of Bangor.

DIED.

In East Corinth, April 20th, at the residence of her father, Mr. Moses Chandler, Mrs. Mehle H. Chadbourne, aged 33 years and 9 months.

In San Francisco, Cal., March 17, Mary Rebecca, wife of S. E. Ladd and daughter of Capt. N. A. Kidder, of Sacramento, a native of Searsport, Me.

In this city, April 23d, at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Hannah Woodworth, on Hammond Street, Milton C. Woodworth, aged 75 years and 22 days.

Funeral Thursday at 2 P. M., from Christian Church.

In Bradford, April 23d, Joseph Brookins, aged 76 years.

Marine Journal.

PORT OF BANGOR.

MONDAY, April 23.

ARRIVED

Sch Rahboni, Tapley, Boston, flour to Thurston & Kingsbury.
Sch Menolia, Alexander, Boston.
Sch Corn O Mendes, Meader, Boston, superphosphate for transhipment.
Sch Rand Jackson, Norton, Castine.
Sch Tom Tucker, Hardy, Rockport.

TUESDAY, April 24.

ARRIVED

Steamer Katahdin, Pierce, Boston.
Sch Belle Marin, Clay, Rockport.

CLEARED

Steamer Lucy P Miller, Horner, New York.
Sch John Walker, Newton, New York, Hodgkins & Hall.
Sch Wm H Jewell, Fletcher, Rockland.

DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK—Ar 23d, bark Fredk A Willey, Willey, Apalachicola; schs Mellen A Willey, Willey, Fernandina. Cld 21st, schs Susan N Hickey, Hickey, Galveston.

BOSTON—Ar 22d, brig Eugene Hale, Harding, Surinam; H C Miller, Hickson, Pascagoula.

BRUNSWICK, Ga—Ar 20th, schs Maud Briggs, Young, Philadelphia.

PHILADELPHIA—Ar 21st, bark Arthur C Wade, Sherman, Matanzas.

SAN FRANCISCO—Ar 14th, ship Harry Morse, Murphy, Nanaimo.

WILMINGTON, NC—Cld 21st, brig Geo E Oakes, Bartlett, Port de Paix, Hayti.

FOREIGN PORTS.

At at Honolulu, March 21, ship Alex McNeil, Howard, San Francisco, and sailed on her return April 6, ship Ivy Lowell, San Francisco.

Sld from Matanzas, April 17th, bgtn David Bugbee, Stowers, Delaware Breakwater.

Ar at Cienfuegos, April 19, bark Smith, Nash, New York.

In port at Laguna, April —, schr Henry Crosby, Stubbs, from New York, disg.

SPOKEN.

Ship Edward O'Brien, Oliver, from San Francisco for Sydney, NSW, April 2, lat 22 55, lon 129 45 W.

Ship Chesebrough, Brinsop, from Cardiff for Acapulco, March 12, lat 7 5, lon 35 W.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, April 21. Money ranging on call from 1@2 per cent., closing at 1 @ 2 per cent. Prime Mercantile paper 4@4½.

Sterling Exchange steady—60 days at 4.81½ for 60 days and 4.85¾@4.86¼ for demand.

Government bonds firm.

Railroad bonds quiet.

STOCKS.

Adams Express	155	Oregon Trans-Chart	24¾
American Express	120	Pacific Mail	34¾
Central Pacific	35¾	Panama	
Ches. & Ohio	14¼	Pullman Palace	143
Chicago Alton	153	Reading	62¾
do preferred	160	Rock Island	111
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	119¾	St. Louis & San Fran	28¾
Del. Hudson	99¾	do Preferred	65¾
Del. Lack.	135¾	1st preferred	111
Den. & Rio Grande	18¾	St. Paul	72¾
Erie	29¾	do preferred	115
do preferred	58¾	St. Paul Minn & Man	104¾
Illinois Central	119¾	St. Paul & Omaha	39¾
Int. & West'n	12	do Preferred	108¾
Lake Shore	107¾	Texas Pacific	23¾
Lake Nash.	56¾	Union Pacific	50¾
Mich. Central	90	U. S. Express	74
Mil. & St. L.	68	Wabash, St. L. & Pac.	18¾
Mil. L. S. & W.	90¾	do Preferred	24¾
Mil. L. S. & W. pref.	128	Western Union	72¾
N. Y. Central	106¾	BONDS.	
N. Y. & New Eng.	35¾	Threes	100
N. Y. & S. L.	16	4s reg	125¾
N. Y. & S. L. pref.	36¾	4s coup	125¾
Northwest	106¾	4½s reg	107¾
do preferred	141¾	4½s coup	107¾
N. Y. & Northern	6¾	Cent. Pac. 1st	110
Ohio & Miss.	31¾	Den. & Rio G. 1st	118¾
Ohio & Miss. pref.	91¾	do 2nds	98¾
Ont. & West.	19¾	Kan. Pac. Consols	103
		Oregon Nav. 1st	110
		Union Firsts	114
		Union Land Grants	
		Union Sink. Fund	

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, April 24. FLOUR—Receipts, 24,700; exports, 2,325; sales, 26,300—No 2, 2.20@2.40; superfine Western and State, 2.40@3.10; common to good extra Western and State, 2.85@3.45; good to choice do, 3.50@4.20; common to good extra Ohio, 2.85@3.00; common to choice white wheat Western extra, 3.00@3.60; common to choice extra St. Louis, 3.00@3.60; City mill extra, 4.85@5.75; winter wheat extra, 3.85@5.10; Minnesota extra, 2.85@3.60; Southern steady—sales 450—Common to fair extra, 3.50@4.00; good to choice, do, 4.15@5.25.

RYE flour steady.

WHEAT—Receipts, 1600; exports, 15,835; sales, 19,000; No. 2 Chicago, 96 @ 97; No. 2 Red, 98¾ @ 99¼; No. 3 Red, 94¾; No. 1 Red, 99 @ 99¾; No. 1 white 99@99.

Rye dull.

BARLEY dull—sales 32,000—No. 1 Canada, 1.04.

CORN—Sales 19,000—No. 2, 63¾@63¾; steamer, 63¾@ 63¾; elevator, 60 @ 61¾; No. 2, 60 @ 61¾; elevator, 71¼.

OATS—Receipts, 78,000; exports, 6000; sales 80,000; No. 3, 31@31¼; white, 41@45; No. 2, 37¼ @ 38¼; do white, 41¾ @ 42; No. 1, 39; do white, 44@46; mixed western, 37 @40; white do, 40@45.

MOLASSES—Sales 90 bbls.—Orleans.

SUGAR—Raw firm—Standard A, 6 5-16@ ; granulated, 6¾ @ 6 13-16; powdered, 7 @ 7¼; cut loaf 8@9; crushed, 8 @ 00; confectioners, 7 11-16@7; yellow, 5 5-16@7¼.

PETROLEUM—Quiet, 81¾@ 00; refined, 00 @ 00; crude in barrels, 5¾@6¼.

TALLOW steady—sales 00 hds., 00; choice, 00.

PORK steady—sales 600 bbls.—Mess, P. P., 00 @ 00; old; 15 75@16.00 now.

Beef dull.

LARD dull—Western steam, 8 47½@ 00; refined, 8.60@ 00; cont., 9 10@9 00.

BUTTER steady—Western, 16 @ 27; State, 16 @ 26; Creamery, 26@28.

CHEESE steady—State, 10@13; Western, 12¾ @ 00.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, April 24. Flour steady.

WHEAT—No. 2 Spring wheat, 86¾ @ 00; No 2 Red, 83@84.

CORN—No. 2, 53¾ @ 00.

OATS—No. 2, 31@31¾.

RYE—No. 2, 60@61¾.

BARLEY—No. 2, 77@78.

LARD—8 00@8.02½.

PORK—Mess, 16 12½@16.15.

Revere House, BOSTON.

Near Boston and Maine, Eastern, Fitchburg and Lowell depots, centre of business and places of amusement.

Remodelled, Refurnished, Newly Decorated, and now kept on the

EUROPEAN PLAN.

Rooms all large and comfortable, elegant suites, with baths attached, ample public parlors, gentlemen's cafe and billiard room added, and first-class in every respect.

ROOMS FROM $1.00 A DAY UP.

J. F. MERROW & CO. Proprietors,

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WANTED.

Several men to handle Flavoring Extracts and Druggists' Sundries in the Eastern part of the State. Address, The Dandelion Co., West Pittston, Maine.

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FOR RENT—Good house, nice location, nineteen rooms. Bath room. Hot water, furnace. $25 a year.

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NOTICE.

Dr. C. F. BIGELOW of Skowhegan, has taken rooms at the Lowder Block.

Office hours 10 to 12 and 1 to 4.

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LOTS FOR SALE.

A few desirable building lots within a short distance of Post Office. Apply at

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WHITMAN'S Instantaneous Chocolate,

WALLACE'S Cream Chocolate,

ALKETHREPTA CHOCOLATE,

Bensdorp's Cocoa,

Baker's, Brook's and Epp's

Cocoa and Chocolate

Of all Kinds.

ALL FRESH GOODS.

JAMES H. SNOW & CO.

25 West Market Square.

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VEAL,

Mutton, Spring Lamb and Poultry, at

CHAS. YORK & CO.'S.

6 and 8 Granite Block.

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Something New —IN— DECORATIVE ART.

Having acquired the proprietorship of a new and beautiful process of decorating walls, panels, ceilings, pottery, or in fact, any surface desired, I now desire to extend the practice of the method, and to that end am prepared to sell rights for Bangor, Brewer and Orrington. This work is extremely simple and can readily be done by any intelligent person. This is an exceptionable opportunity for bright young men desiring an employment at some light, pleasant and profitable. I will be to any person purchasing the exclusive right for any of the towns mentioned, so that they may go to teaching and selling intellectual rights at once. The work is exceedingly inexpensive, and the beauty, together with its manifest superiority over any other paint, recommends it at once. Those interested in the profile generally, can see examples of the work at 75 Pickering Square.

PROF. W. A. JOHNSON.

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Brewer Savings Bank.

The annual meeting of the members of the Brewer Savings Bank will be held at their Banking room on TUESDAY, May 1st, at 10 o'clock A. M., for the choice of Trustees, and for the transaction of any other business that may lawfully come before them.

E. P. FARRINGTON, Secretary.

Brewer, April 20th, 1888.

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Spring Has Come

and if you want your Carpets cleaned by the machine, send your orders to the

BANGOR CARPET DUSTER, 53 Exchange Street.

W. H. BARLE THOS. T. TABOR.

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AFTER THIS DATE,

February 1, 1888,

we shall adopt a strictly

CASH SYSTEM

Under no circumstances will ANY person be given credit. This system enables us to buy and sell goods at fully 5 per cent. less than all competitors. We thus give the purchaser more value for his money than any other boot and shoe store in Bangor.

Money Refunded if Goods Do Not Suit.

Remember, we are Headquarters —FOR— RUBBER GOODS.

DUDLEY, SHAW & CO., 4 Kenduskeag Bridge.

E. G. WALDRON, - - Manager.

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PATENTS OBTAINED FOR INVENTORS by PELCY W. J. LANDER, Solicitor of Patents, West Market Square, Bangor, Me.

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THIS WEEK IS KID GLOVE WEEK AT OUR STORE.

GREAT BARGAINS

On Warranted Goods are Being Offered.

E. H. HALL, - 23 MAIN ST.

Jouvin Gloves, P. P. Robinson Clean-Fast Black Hose, McCall's Bazar Patterns, Etc., Etc., Etc.

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HAVING OPENED

An Elegant Stock of the Latest Designs in Bonnets and Hats, together with all the Leading Novelties in Trimmings, we shall be pleased to Distribute the same at a small advance over First Cost.

19 Main St. - - C. W. COFFIN.

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There and many other new styles made from genuine Sawyer Goods, age 5 to 7, at the low price of $3.00 a suit, with the most complete line of Boys' Suits just received at

J. WATERMAN'S "BOSS CLOTHING HOUSE," (Sign of the Dressed man.) 73, 75 and 77 EXCHANGE STREET.

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BUZZELL & HUTCHINS, NO. 27 MAIN STREET.

Have now in stock a fine line of

Men's and Boys' Button Balmoral and Congress Boots.

New Styles, Good Quality, and at Reasonable prices.

We wish to call your special attention to our

$3.00 GLOBE LINE,

which is easy and comfortable, requiring no breaking in, inside entirely free from tacks and nails. One of the best shoes ever sold for three dollars.

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OUR LITERARY CONTRIBUTION

for this week is a short original article on Underwear, and we hope it may be of interest to all in want of such goods. What we wish to say is this: We have received our stock of Gents' Underwear, and are now prepared to show full lines of Ladies', Gents' and Children's Spring and Summer Underwear from 25 cents up. We have the new style Jersey Underwear in all grades, also a large assortment of Ladies', Misses' and Children's Hosiery. Specially good trade in "Wist black" Hosiery, both for Ladies and Children.

LORD & BRAGDON, 18 WEST MARKET SQUARE.

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HATS!!!

For a complete and attractive line of Gents' SPRING HATS, in all COLORS and SHAPES, see the display I am presenting for this Season's trade. No more elaborate assortment can be found in NEW ENGLAND, and customers should not fail to examine the LARGEST EXHIBIT ever seen in Bangor of

CHILDREN'S HATS AND CAPS.

Sole Agent for the STETSON & DUNLAP.

It will pay you to call.

C. W. SULLIVAN, NO. 8 SMITH BLOCK.

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MILLINERY OPENING!

FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, AT 43 MAIN ST.

All the new shapes and everything in Ribbons, Flowers, Tulle and Pins of every Style and quality. Having carefully selected my stock in the New York market, I am prepared to take orders and solicit the patronage of all in want of stylish millinery, prices.

A fine line of Lisle Thread Gloves from 20 cents to $1.50. All Goods at Lowest Market

G. E. HAMM, - - 43 MAIN ST.

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WE LEAD AND OTHERS FOLLOW

In the Style and Quality of

Gents' Silk, Stiff and Soft Hats FOR THE SEASON OF 1888.

IMPORTED CRUSH HATS,

The Finest Made.

CENTLEMEN'S FINE SOFT HATS,

In Light and Dark Colors.

NOBBY SHAPES IN STIFF HATS,

In Golden Brown and English Tan Shades.

THE CELEBRATED WILCOX HATS,

Light and Airy for Summer wear.

YOUNG MEN'S SILK HATS,

Made from the Best Blocks in the city.

We Can Suit You in any Style or Quality Desired.

Adams Bros. 4 Kend. Bridge, PRACTICAL HATTERS.

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MILLINERY MODES. Ladies that desire correct shapes in the prevailing styles can always find them at MRS. E. STEVENS', 124 Hammond Street, opposite the "Lowder."

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CETCHELL & CO., Plumbers and Steam Fitters,

29 CENTRAL STREET,

BANGOR, - - - MAINE.

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Entertainments

OPERA HOUSE, FRANK A. OWEN MANAGER.

ONE WEEK, COMMENCING MONDAY, APRIL 23.

Matinees—Wednesday and Saturday.

Wilbur Opera Co.

Including the Artists

SUSIE KIRWIN

And Introducing the Popular

Mr. J. E. CONLY.

40 People in Company. 40

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WEDNESDAY EVENING, BERRY'S WIFE
THURSDAY EVENING, THE BRIDGE
FRIDAY EVENING, PRINCESS TOKI
SATURDAY EVENING, THE CHIMES OF NORMANDY
WEDNESDAY MATINEE, CINDERELLA
SATURDAY MATINEE, MARITANA

Popular Prices.

Seats secured in advance at Box Office without extra charge.

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OPERA HOUSE, FRANK A. OWEN MANAGER.

TWO NIGHTS.

Maggie Mitchell

IN

MR. CHARLES ABBOTT,

AND EFFICIENT DRAMATIC COMPANY.

Monday Even'g, April 30,

Tuesday Evening, May 1st,

FANCHON.

Prices as usual.

Seats now on sale at Box Office.

One Night Only!

At CITY HALL.

Special Engagement of the Popular Actress

MRS. SCOTT SIDDONS.

Thursday, April 26th,

Under the management of Mr. Henry C. Jarvis, in her Impersonations of Famous Characters, including the Lady Macbeth scene from Macbeth, Queen Katharine's Dream and Trial scene from Henry VIII, Meg Merrilies, Lady Te

Whig and Courier.

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 25, 1888.

BY TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MR. BLAINE.

What the Tribune Says of the False Stories About His Health.

NEW YORK, April 24. The Tribune this morning publishes the following: "Recent authoritative denial by Emmons Blaine of the stories about his failing health do not seem to prevent the industrious manufacture of further idle stories to that effect. These stories appear to be the work of a bureau founded for the purpose of making the public believe that Mr. Blaine is on the verge of earthly dissolution. The object can readily be inferred in view of the rising tide of popular favor that is demanding his nomination for President by the Republican party, in spite of his letter of withdrawal.

A statement to the Tribune a week ago from Mr. Blaine stated a letter just received from his father as the best proof that he was in good health. He had received letters from his mother and others which give confirmation to this latest letter. Letters were received yesterday from Mr. Blaine which told of his most good health, of the pleasant voyage he was having, of his intention soon to start northward in Europe and of the temporary of pleasure with which he had fared on to the time when he can greet the people on American soil once more. There are so many letters to this effect, not to mention from Mr. Blaine himself but from the members of his family party, and from friends who run across him in Europe, that it seems as though the malicious spreading of reports to the contrary could not get a quietus. There is absolutely no foundation for them.

DELEGATES CHOSEN.

Strength for Hon. E. C. Burleigh.

MANCHESTER, April 24. The Republicans of Manchester held a caucus Saturday evening with the following results: Chairman, J. L. Wood, Secretary, J. N. Wadsworth, Town Committee, William H. Wing, Jesse L. Wood, N. C. Weston; delegates to the District Convention, J. L. Wood, William H. Wing; to the State Convention at Bangor, the same gentlemen were chosen. To the State Convention at Portland, Bradford Boynton and C. Weston; alternates, E. H. Hammond and E. H. Beath.

Resolutions were unanimously adopted requesting the delegates to the State Convention at Portland to use all honorable means to secure the nomination of Hon. E. C. Burleigh for Governor, also that the Republicans of Manchester favor the nomination of Hon. Seth L. Milliken as Representative to Congress for the Third District, and Hon. J. H. Manley as delegate-at-large to the Republican National Convention.

At Frankfort

FRANKFORT, April 24. At a caucus of the Republicans of Frankfort, Capt. Robert Tarbell H. W. Tuttle were chosen delegates to the Portland Convention and instructed to vote for Hon. E. C. Burleigh.

DELEGATES ELECTED

The Republican State and District Conventions

ORLAND, April 21. At the Warren Republican caucus Saturday evening, A. G. Nickels, S. M. Studley, W. H. Jordan and O. O. Hallowell were chosen delegates to the Bangor Convention, the 24th and Thomas Walker, Benjamin Dow, J. E. Wade, and A. H. Starrett to attend delegates to the Convention at Portland the 27th.

FROM CALAIS.

Session of Supreme Court Opened

CALAIS, April 21. The April term of Supreme Judicial Court commenced today, Judge Libbey presiding. There are 60 cases on the continued docket, but believe not over a dozen cases will be tried. There are no criminal cases of importance.

FROM WINTHROP

Liberal Christian Conference

WINTHROP, April 21. A Liberal Christian conference was held at the church of this city this afternoon and evening, attended by people from different parts of the county. The afternoon session was at two o'clock and the evening session at seven. In the afternoon Rev. Samuel C. Beane of Salem, Mass., preached an able sermon and in the evening there were addresses by Rev. Mr. Bean, and Rev. T. S. Sonntag of Augusta. Rev. L. M. Burton, pastor, assisted in the exercises.

FROM ROCKLAND.

Memorial Day Address—Warren's Memorial Day Orator.

ROCKLAND, April 21. The Waldoboro Board of Trade is doing a great work. It is now about getting a corn canning factory for the town and is now taking steps to secure a water supply, with every prospect of success.

General Ellis Spear, of Washington, D. C., will deliver the memorial oration before William Payson Post, G. A. R., of this city.

FROM ELLSWORTH.

Sons of Veterans Camp Organized.

ELLSWORTH, April 24. A camp of Sons of Veterans, named Hannibal Hamlin, No. 10, was organized here Monday evening with nineteen members, by C. H. Rice, of Bangor. John W. Malone was elected Captain, Frank E. Grag, First Lieutenant, and Harry W. Haynes, Second Lieutenant.

FROM BIDDEFORD.

The Woman's Bureau Headquarters.

BIDDEFORD, April 24. The Lowell Hotel, at the Free Baptist Campground, at Ocean Park, has been purchased by the Woman's Bureau, and will be used by that organization as headquarters during the summer. The building will be remodeled and be ready for use as soon as the meetings begin. It will be dedicated in August. President Cheney, of Bates College, will be invited to deliver the dedicatory address.

Death of an Old Deacon.

Deacon Samuel Pillsbury, first deacon of the Adams street Baptist church and who has held the office of clerk and treasurer since the church was organized, died last night, aged 79 years.

SULLIVAN, THE PUGILIST.

He Arrives Home and Makes a Splurge.

BOSTON, April 24. The steamer Catalonia, from Liverpool, with John L. Sullivan, the pugilist, and party on board, arrived at quarantine this morning. Shortly after arriving in town this morning Sullivan posted $500 at the Herald office, and issued a challenge to fight any man in the world in a sixteen-foot ring for $10,000, a side, Kilrain or Mitchell preferred.

TENEMENT HOUSE FIRE.

A Woman Burned to Death and Three Persons Badly Injured.

NEW YORK, April 24. A fire on the second and third floors of a big double tenement, 158 East 28th street, at eleven o'clock to-night, resulted in the death of one and serious injury of three, one of whom may die. Mrs. Cook was burned to death. Michael Cook was badly burned and had his legs broken by jumping from a third story window. Catherine Mahoney, a girl living on the third floor, had her leg broken jumping from the second story balcony. John Walter, aged forty, had his feet and hands badly burned.

FIFTIETH CONGRESS—First Session.

Senate

WASHINGTON, April 24. The session of the Senate to-day was opened with prayer by Rev. Dr. H. Pereira Mendes, Rabbi of the Spanish and Portuguese Congregation of New York, who, according to the Jewish custom, wore his hat while engaged in prayer. This is the second instance probably in the history of the Government when a Jew has offered prayer in the Senate.

Mr. Hale offered a resolution, which was adopted, directing the Civil Service Commissioners to furnish lists of all persons certified for appointment to the patent office from the 4th of March, 1885, to March, 1888, and lists of persons selected to be appointed under such certification.

The Senate then resumed consideration of the International Copyright bill, the question being on the amendment offered yesterday by Mr. Morrill providing that newspapers and periodicals may copy articles from foreign newspapers and periodicals.

After discussion the bill went over without action till to-morrow.

The Senate resumed consideration of the substitute proposed by Mr. Palmer for the bill to provide for the establishment of a Bureau of Animal Industry, to facilitate the exportation of live stock and their products, and extirpate contagious pleuro pneumonia and other diseases among domestic animals.

Without action on the bill the Senate proceeded to the consideration of executive business.

After the doors reopened the bill was passed appropriating $75,000 for a public building at New London, Conn.

The Senate then adjourned.

House

The Senate joint resolution, appropriating $250,000 to participate in the International Exposition at Brussels, also the resolution providing for the investigation of the strike of the Chicago, Burlington & Quincy Railroad were referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The House resumed, in Committee of the Whole, the discussion of the Mills tariff bill, Mr. McMillan, of Tennessee, having the floor in advocacy of the measure.

Unanimous consent that all gentlemen might be allowed to print in the Record any remarks upon the subject of the tariff was asked, but Mr. Reed, of Maine, objected.

Mr. McMillan, speaking, said that the Congress that appointed the tariff commissioners of 1883, finding the rate of taxation averaged about 43 per cent, under the pretence of revising it, left it so that it has since reached 47 per cent. The people had no relief. It was higher to-day than at any time during the war. Commenting on the surplus Mr. McMillan said: We are drawing money from commerce and locking it up in the Treasury at such a rate that it is only a question of time when a stringency will set in, panics begin and ruin follow. Touching on the decay of foreign commerce and attributing it to the high tariff, Mr. McMillan was interrupted by Mr. Dingley with the question whether the commerce had not fallen off from 1835 to 1861, prior to the enactment of the high tariff.

Mr. McMillan admitted that there had been a falling off but declared it was owing to the present high tariff that commerce was falling into decay. He inquired whether Mr. Dingley favored the policy which permitted the United States to seize the ship of a citizen if that ship was bought abroad and brought into a home port.

Mr. Dingley replied that he favored the policy inaugurated by Washington of confining American registries to vessels built in this country. (Applause on the Republican side.)

Mr. McMillan referred to James Russell Lowell as a distinguished member of the Republican party, which was received with derisive laughter from the Republican side.

Mr. McMillan remarked that Mr. Lowell had been the representative of the last administration at the Court of St. James.

"Benedict Arnold was a major general in the Continental army," was Mr. Kelly's comment.

Mr. McMillan concluded his speech amid loud applause from his party colleagues.

Mr. Burrows, of Michigan, followed in opposition. If possible $70,000,000 surplus at the end of the next fiscal year must be averted. Even the accumulation of a surplus not only indicted profligacy, but insured swift financial disaster. The method by which the reduction was to be accomplished had become the main point of controversy.

The Republican party insisted that the protective system should not be disturbed, except so far as might be necessary to correct its incongruities and harmonize its provisions. If Congress followed the lead of the President and secured a reduction by such a revision of the tariff as he proposed, leaving untouched, as he suggested, the internal revenue system, not only would the protective system be destroyed but the Nation would be on the highway of free trade. In this contest the Republican party took the side of protection and would resist to the uttermost any attempt to cripple American industry, destroy American capital, or pauperize American labor. The eras of protection in this country have been eras of prosperity. The eras of free trade have been eras of depression and disaster.

The passage of the bill would destroy the wool industry and when it was ruined we would be bound hand and foot at the mercy of foreign producers. The Chairman of the Committee on Ways and Means hopes the measure will pass. There is not a member of the Cobden Club or a free trader in the United States who is not in sympathy with him. Free trade England stands on the tiptoe of expectation and screams with delight. Let me warn you gentlemen of the South, that this measure bodes no good to you. It will arrest the investment of capital and bring your industries to a standstill. There is no portion of our country where the measure should meet more united, determined opposition than in the South.

Untoward circumstances heretofore have retarded her National progress, but the way is now open for her to march unimpeded to a splendid industrial future, an advance already sounded. He who does not respond will find himself without party and without a following.

When Mr. Burrows concluded the committee rose.

Mr. Reed said it was well known to the House that efforts had been made to reach an agreement as to the time to be given for debate on the tariff bill, and stated the Republicans' position, ten days on each side, night sessions not to be included in the time, and recited the proceedings in committee, and his understanding of the temporary arrangement made for continuance of the debate during to-day and to-morrow.

He asked Mr. Mills to fix some day for closing the debate and suggested that ten days be allowed on each side, with so many days additional as the House might be disposed to have. There has been no consideration of the bill, no public hearings on the Republican side, no public hearings on the part of members the interests of whose districts were concerned. If it should turn out that it was not necessary to prolong the discussion so long as suggested, the debate might be shortened.

Mr. Mills spoke in favor of night sessions, however he would be glad to meet the gentleman to-morrow in the committee room to make another effort for an agreement. In the meantime, he moved a recess until 8 o'clock. The yeas and nays were taken and resulted, yeas 131, nays 17.

No quorum appearing Mr. Mills moved to adjourn. The motion was agreed to and the House, at 5 o'clock, adjourned.

FROM WASHINGTON.

News About the Capital.

More Pension Vetoes by the President.

WASHINGTON, April 24. The President to-day vetoed the House bill granting pensions to William P. Witt, William H. Brimmer and Chloe Slugle.

BASE BALL.

Tuesday's Record of Games.

National League.

At Pittsburg: Pittsburgs, 4; Detroits, 6.

Base hits—Pittsburgs 7; Detroits 13. Errors—Pittsburgs 2; Detroits 4. Batteries—Galvin and Miller, Conway and Bennett.

At Philadelphia: Bostons, 7; Philadelphias 1.

Base hits—Bostons 7; Philadelphias 9. Errors—Bostons 1; Philadelphias 6. Batteries—Sowders and O'Rourke; Buffinton and Clements.

At Indianapolis: Chicagos 3; Indianapolis 2.

Base hits—Chicagos 2; Indianapolis 6. Errors—Chicagos 3; Indianapolis 7. Batteries—Krock and Pfeffer; Boyle and Myers.

At Washington: Washingtons, 15; New Yorks 10.

Base hits—Washingtons 7; New Yorks 11. Errors—Washingtons 13; New Yorks 12. Batteries—Gillmore, Daily and Mack; Titcomb, Wing and Murphy.

Other Games.

At Portland: The Portlands beat the Presumpscots, of Cumberland Mills, today, as follows:

Portlands, 0 1 7 0 0 2 0 0 1—11
Presumpscots, 0 0 3 0 2 0 0 0 2— 7

At Worcester: Holy Cross, 28; Bowdoins, 0.

At Baltimore: Baltimores, 1; Brooklyns, 2.

At Philadelphia: Athletics, 8; Clevelands, 6.

At Kansas City: Kansas Citys, 6; Louisvilles, 15.

At St. Louis: St. Louis, 3; Cincinnatis, 4.

At Worcester: Torontos, 7; Worcesters, 4.

The New England League.

BOSTON, April 24. A special meeting of the New England League, at Parker's to-night, voted to get along without turnstiles and allow each club a ladies' day, one each week. Everything is in order for the opening of the season on Saturday.

NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Congressman Gallinger Declines Re-Election

CONCORD, April 24. Hon. J. H. Gallinger, of this city, has issued an open letter addressed to the Republicans of the Second Congressional District, announcing that he will not be a candidate for another Congressional nomination.

New Hampshire Historical Society

CONCORD, April 24. An adjourned 65th annual meeting of the New Hampshire Historical Society was held this evening with a banquet at the Eagle Hotel, after which Rev. Edmund F. Slafter, of Boston, delivered an address upon "The Discovery of America by the Northmen." Miss Grace E. Drew, of this city, gave a reading.

MASSACHUSETTS

Heavy Emigrant Train from Boston.

BOSTON, April 24. A mammoth train of twenty-three cars, drawn by two engines, left East Boston to-night, via the Boston and Albany Railroad, for Chicago and points West. The cars carried over 900 passengers from steamer Catalonia, of the Cunard Line. Each car bore the inscription "Cunard Line, Liverpool via Boston to Chicago." This is the heaviest human freight from Liverpool ever sent to Western points via Boston.

NEW YORK.

Woolen Goods Association.

NEW YORK, April 24. About fifty commission merchants met here to-day to establish a woolen goods association. President Amidown made an address in which he advocated organizations of separate branches of trade and predicted a useful future for the association. Secretary Leland spoke in behalf of an immediate settlement of terms and discounts on the basis of six months credit, with settlement by note or otherwise at the expiration of sixty days. Mr. Leland provided in his scheme for attractive discounts to those to whom a merchant might not wish to give six months credit. Several spoke in opposition to the action proposed by Mr. Leland. The question was one, they said, on which hasty action should not be taken and such proceedings might be fatal to the association—members might decline to be bound by such an agreement. The signatures of many of the members had been obtained on an understanding that the subject should be handled very carefully. Mr. Merriman's motion to refer the matter to the executive committee was adopted and the association adjourned.

FOREIGN NEWS.

England's Queen at the German Capital.

She Receives an Enthusiastic Reception.

BERLIN, April 24. Queen Victoria arrived at Charlottenburg at 9 this morning. The Empress, Crown Prince and Crown Princess and Prince and Princess of Saxe Meiningen received her at the depot. The Burgomaster and Municipal Council of Berlin were also present. The greetings between Queen Victoria and the royal family of Germany were warm. The Crown Prince conducted the Queen to an open carriage drawn by four horses, which she entered, and with the Empress beside her was driven to the castle. Crowds of people lined the route and cheered enthusiastically as the carriage passed. The Queen paid a visit to the Emperor shortly after her arrival at the castle. The Emperor seemed rather brighter after the interview and his temperature was normal.

The Emperor rose to receive the Queen and cordially welcomed her. Afterwards she withdrew to his own apartments.

The Queen and Empress drove at 4 P. M. in open carriage to visit the Empress Augusta. The Grand Duke and the Grand Duchess of Baden were waiting to receive them and all the members of Empress Augusta's court were present. After tea they proceeded to Emperor Frederick's former residence to visit the Princess Saxe-Meiningen. The streets were crowded and the Queen and Empress were greeted with enthusiasm. By the invitation of the Empress there was a large gathering of members of the imperial family at the palace at 8 P. M. to meet the Queen.

The Emperor's Condition Alarming.

The Emperor's fever increased toward night and his condition causes alarm.

ODDS AND ENDS.

The New York Catholic News has received from Rome the following despatch: The Vatican has issued a decree condemning boycotting and the "plan of campaign." The decree distinguishes the National movement from revolutionary means. It condemns only the latter.

A mad dog on Baxter street, New York, Monday night, created havoc among the pedestrians and before he was killed by a policeman had bitten four women, who are in great terror lest hydrophobia should set in. The wounds were dressed and the women sent to Bellevue Hospital.

Proprietor Ed. Stokes of the Hoffman House, whose relations with Mr. Conkling were very intimate, expresses the opinion that the value of the estate left by the late ex-Senator is about $250,000.

Thomas Meeke, alias Mathews, and Fred Lawther, or Lawler, alias Watson, who were caught armed with burglars' tools preparing to set out for Bangor, Maine, to rescue James Foster, alias Kelly, and Clarence Walney from jail there, were held in $1,000 each in Jefferson Market police court, in New York, yesterday.

J. W. Irving Bishop, the noted mind reader, is an inmate of a private asylum in San Francisco. He went to California several months ago and appeared to be partly demented. He gave exhibitions throughout the State until his nervous prostration compelled him to go to a sanitarium, where he will probably be compelled to remain for several months.

LOCAL MATTERS.

The Apollo Quartette will sing at the anniversary concert of the Union street Methodist Sunday School on next Sunday evening.

Mr. James W. Robinson, at Alfred Jones' Sons, is the happy owner of a gold watch which he won yesterday in a drawing on Pickering Square.

Margaret Mather plays in Portland Thursday, Friday and Saturday evenings, giving "Romeo and Juliet," "As You Like It" and "Leah, the Forsaken."

There were thirteen persons in Mr. A. W. Benson's California excursion party yesterday morning, all being from this vicinity, although none were from Bangor.

Regular business meeting of the Crusade this afternoon at half past two. Prayer meeting to which the public are cordially invited at four, held in the reading rooms, Franklin street.

Mr. J. M. Barrow, agent of Maggie Mitchell, is in the city making the necessary arrangements for the appearance of the charming actress next Monday and Tuesday evenings. She will play in "Ray," the new comedy, and "Fanchon."

Col. Bange, of Waterville, writes to the *National Tribune*, of Washington, D. C., claiming for Rev. A. C. White the honor of being the youngest volunteer in the civil war. Mr. White went to the front as a drummer boy of the 66th Ohio when nine years old.

The many friends of Mrs. John C. Holmes will regret to learn that she was yesterday obliged to suffer amputation of her right hand at the wrist in consequence of the injuries recently received at the Penobscot steam laundry, an account of which was given in THE WHIG at the time.

Mr. Harry G. Durgin has been appointed relief messenger for the American Express Company in place of Mr. C. F. Ireland, who is transferred to the Boston and Bangor night run. Mr. Durgin's father is depot agent for the American Express Company at Portland and he has two brothers who are messengers in the same service.

The members of Condeskeag Lodge, K. of P. who recently gave an entertainment in which the mock degree was worked so successfully, are thinking of repeating it, as many who were unable to attend on the evening on which it was given, have expressed a desire to see it. If it is decided to give the entertainment it will come off in a few days.

The nomination of Mr. Thomas F. Allen as a State detective was yesterday confirmed by the Governor's Council, his bond was filed and he received his commission and is ready to enter upon his duties. Mr. Allen, from his long experience, has a well earned reputation as a detective, and will doubtless receive his full share of business in his line.

Capt. John Sedgwick Hyde, of Bath, who has been a captain and aide-de-camp on Gen. Mitchell's staff, has resigned, owing to business matters. Since his appointment Capt. Hyde has never been able to accompany the staff on any of the different trips and he thought it wiser to give place to another man. His resignation has been accepted.

The following vessels arrived in this port yesterday: Rathbond, with 1,700 barrels of flour for Thurston & Klingsbury; Corn O Meader, with 110 tons of superphosphate for transshipment; Ada G. Kennedy, with coal for the Maine Central. She will load ice from the Kataliden Company. The Ellen Maria came up from Buckesport to be fitted from a brig to a schooner.

Rev. Roscoe L. Greene, who is to be pastor of the People's Methodist Episcopal church of Boston, is a native of Maine, having been born in Bangor in 1848. At the opening of the war he enlisted in Company A, 11th Maine Volunteers as a drummer boy. He was educated at Bridgton Academy, Kent's Hill and Wesleyan University. His wife was formerly Miss Ella F. Wilson, of Gorham.

Mr. R. B. Hall has just completed an arrangement of war songs, with other melodies called "Memorial Medley" for the Arbuckleinian Quartette, which will render the selection as soon as they get it thoroughly rehearsed. Bugle calls are introduced and the arrangement will undoubtedly be very effective. It ends with "America" with variations for the cornets. The medley is an excellent arrangement, and will undoubtedly be heard with pleasure.

We are informed by the Superintending School Committee that, in violation of the school regulations, persons are visiting our city schools soliciting the purchase of books, etc., from the teachers and others, and they say the practice must be stopped and they call upon the teachers to aid in putting a stop to this violation of the rules. We are told that some of the teachers complain that they have been victimized by the misrepresentations of some of these book pedlars.

MISS SCOTT SIDDONS. There has been a very large advance sale of seats at the store of D. Bugbee & Co. for the recital to-morrow evening by Mrs. Scott Siddons, and there will undoubtedly be a packed house at City Hall to greet this lady who is sure to give great pleasure by her reading and recitals. Mrs. Siddons was to give a Shakespearian reading and pianoforte recital last evening in Steinway Hall, New York, upon which occasion she was to introduce to the public her adopted son, Mr. Henry Wallace, the pianist.

A PLEASANT WEDDING. A pleasant company of relatives and immediate friends assembled last evening at the residence of Mrs Abbie S. Peckham, No. 155 Pine street, the occasion being the marriage of her daughter, May W., to Mr. Leslie E. Tozier, the ceremony being performed by Rev. E. E. Peck. After the marriage ceremony refreshments were served and a pleasant evening passed in extending congratulations to the newly wedded couple. The bride and groom are well known and highly esteemed, and their many friends will extend to them their congratulations and heartiest wishes for a long and happy life.

SUPPER AND ILLUSTRATED LECTURE. The ladies of the Columbia Street Baptist church furnished one of their famous suppers last evening from six to eight, which was well patronized and highly appreciated. At eight o'clock Rev. George B. Ilsley introduced Prof. Carl Braun, who gave his new lecture on "Birds and Insects," which was given on this occasion for the first time, being illustrated by the use of the stereopticon, showing about 250 specimens, all of his own mounting and arrangement. The lecture and exhibition occupied about one and a half hours, and was closely listened to. As the subject is so interesting to both old and young, and so full of instruction, it is hoped that many other societies may have the pleasure of listening to Prof. Braun and studying his illustrations. The professor has made this subject his life study and has succeeded most happily, having a national reputation.

The steamer Lucy P. Miller left for New York yesterday. The Caroline Miller will leave New York for this city to-day, with a large freight.

HANDSOME DISPLAY OF MILLINERY. Miss Crooker, of Boston, had an elegant display of millinery yesterday and Monday at room No. 20, at the Bangor House, and many ladies took occasion to visit the room and purchase and admire the beautiful bonnets and hats. Among them were noticed the most stylish shapes with trimmings in beautiful designs of green with heliotrope; a toque bonnet in black; coffee shades with terra cotta; gray tulle for summer wear; the torpedo shape with cobalt blue, and pink flowers; a terra cotta hat with shaded feathers; walking hat in brown with changeable silk; and a lace hat with Jacquemot roses. The different specimens are the latest from New York and some handsome effects are made by them. Miss Crooker had a very successful visit to this city.

PLEASANT ENTERTAINMENT. Queen City Council had a very pleasant literary and musical entertainment at Andrews' hall last evening, which was well attended and afforded much enjoyment to those present. All the parts were well taken, and Messrs. Blethen and Cayting, in their harmonica and banjo duet, and Miss Tuck in her piano solo, were obliged to respond to encores. After the programme was gone through with a social dance was enjoyed. Following was the programme: Piano solo, Miss Perkins; song, Mrs. Smart; bone solo, Mr. Hall, reading, Miss Savage, song, Miss Staples; reading, Miss Loveland; song, Mr. Cayting, recitation, Mr. Billings; harmonica and banjo duet, Messrs. Blethen and Cayting; song, Mrs. Hammond; piano solo, Miss Tuck.

ORONO ITEMS. Our Orono correspondent writes: George W. Lunt, Esq., of Orono, arrived home Monday evening after a two weeks' visit to friends in Massachusetts. While away he visited Plymouth, where he saw not only the "Rock" upon which the Pilgrim Fathers landed in 1620, but many other ancient relics including the sword carried so many years ago by Capt. Miles Standish. While in Lowell Mr. Lunt was the guest of Rev. Smith Baker, Jr. He thinks Massachusetts is a very nice place to visit.——We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to the complimentary banquet tendered their friends by the Orono Cattle Literary Society at the Orono Town Hall this (Wednesday) evening.——"Always room for one more," say the parties who are about transforming the old house on Water street into a meat market.

Complaint has been made to the Fish and Game Commissioners by the people of Vanceboro that some of the Canadian trout fishermen have been encroaching on American ground and have been illegally netting trout which should go to them. The complaint says that one John Knight has set his net in the St. Croix river, about three miles from Vanceboro, and claims to be catching from the Canadian side, but that many of the nets are connected with the American shore and by stretching them across the river he is entitled to net nearly all the trout that come up the river. He has followed the same practice for many seasons and others have emulated him and the practice has become so general that the Vanceboro people and others on the American side along the St. Croix have asked the Commissioners to interfere and break it up.

WORK OF A SNEAK THIEF. A short time ago a young man of good appearance came to this city, giving the name of Henry Raymond, of Lynn, Mass., and claiming to be engaged in taking photograph views out of doors. He obtained board with Mr. A. D. Parsons, on State street, where he remained until yesterday afternoon, when he suddenly left, taking with him a large amount of valuables belonging to persons in the house. As we are informed he took advantage, during the latter part of the afternoon, of the absence of boarders and members of the family, and made a complete raid of the several rooms, taking whatever of value he could lay his hands upon, including a wallet containing fifteen dollars in money, a gold watch and chain, gold rings, cuff buttons, etc. As an evidence, probably, that his story was true about taking pictures, he took a photograph of the mother of one of his fellow boarders away with him. The police were informed last night and are on the lookout for the thief, who is described as about twenty-five years old, five feet seven or eight inches tall, fair complexion, light mustache and hair, derby hat and brown clothing, and carries a hand bag slung over his shoulder by a strap. It is hoped that he may be caught and made to pay the penalty of his mean act.

HAMPDEN ITEMS. Our correspondent writes: On Tuesday as Mr. Joseph Cowan was driving into the yard of his brother-in-law, Mr. John York, his horse dropped down dead. The cause is supposed to be heart disease.——Mr. Moore has opened his grain and feed store in the Curtis building and is doing a good business.——Mr. G. H. Allen, of Portland, brother of Prof. B. J. Allen, has been spending a few days in town.——Mr. G. B. Smith gave a "Chalk Talk" at the Academy on Monday afternoon, and if a class can be formed he will give lessons in penmanship.——Preparation is being made to give a dramatic entertainment in the interest of the Academy in the Town Hall on Friday evening. The title of the piece to be presented is "Among the Breakers."——Miss Lillie McConville, of Bangor, has been spending a few days with her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Dudley.——Mrs. Charles Averill spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Silsby. Mr. Silsby continues in poor health, but his many friends hope that as the warm weather comes he may gain in strength.——Mrs. Carrie King (nee Miss Carrie Pickard) has been visiting friends here.——Capt. Horace Atwood returned last Friday from a two weeks business trip to Boston.——The Y. P. S. C. E. held a memorial service last Friday evening in memory of Miss Emma Littlefield. The meeting was led by her Sunday School teacher, Mrs. Ella Temple and consisted of the arranging of some of the Christian graces which the departed member possessed so as to form an acrostic of her name.——The village school opened on Monday, Mrs. Alice Hodgdon, teacher.

TERRIBLE ACCIDENT

Resulting in the Death of Mr. Thomas J. Looney, Yesterday Afternoon.

A very sad accident occurred yesterday forenoon by which Mr. Thomas J. Looney lost his life. About eleven o'clock he was engaged in raising a scow at the dock of James Walker & Co., with jack screws, so that it might be launched. Suddenly one of the screws slipped, and the scow fell over upon Mr. Looney, who was caught between it and another scow which was near, crushing his chest. He was extricated from his position, and taken to a neighboring house where he was attended by a physician, but the effects of the terrible crushing could not be overcome and he died in about half an hour. The body was then taken to the residence of his father on Hancock street. His death will be a shock to his parents and a source of sorrow to many friends who speak of him in high terms of praise for his many estimable qualities. He was about thirty years of age and was unmarried. He was a member of Penobscot Division, A. O. H., and of the benefit insurance of the order, and was an ex-member of the Jamieson Guards.

MAINE GOOD TEMPLARS.

Thirtieth Annual Session of the Grand Lodge

The thirtieth annual session of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars of Maine, which will last two days, was begun yesterday forenoon at ten o'clock at City Hall, with a large attendance. There are 125 lodges represented with delegations numbering about 250. The session was called to order by the Grand Chief Templar. The following officers of the Grand Lodge were present: Grand Chief Templar, M. J. Dow; Grand Councillor, J. H. Hamilton; Grand Vice-Templar, Mrs. Emma E. Knight; Grand Secretary, George E. Brackett; Grand Treasurer, Everett B. Norton, Grand Marshal, Frank L. Gipson, Grand Guard, Mrs. A. L. Young, Grand Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, Mrs. E. E. Caine, Past Grand Chief Templar, Andrew J. Chase.

The following pro tem appointments were made: Grand Chaplain, Rev. M. Crosley; Grand Deputy Marshal, Mrs. F. L. Gipson; Grand Sentinel, J. C. Pease, Organist, Mrs. Josie R. Pollard. The following were appointed to fill vacancies on committees: On credentials, Frank H. Dexter, on appropriations, H. A. Chase, on appeals, J. W. Mitchell N. A. Calne, H. F. Duggett; on constitution, F. C. Holt, E. W. Webber, on juvenile temples, Mrs. Josie R. Pollard, on printing, E. B. Lord, N. F. Woodbury, on state of the order, Revi. B. P. Snow, Rev. W. W. Rosper, Palmo Haskell, on temperance literature, Sarah F. Ware. Forty-four members were present who had taken the Grand Lodge degree previously and 130 were initiated during the day. M. J. Dow presented his report as Grand Chief Templar, showing a very encouraging state of the order, giving details of decisions rendered during the year, and containing many valuable suggestions for the coming year's work.

Grand Secretary George E. Brackett presented his thirteenth annual report embracing the following statistics: Number of lodges April 1st, 1887, 328, instituted since, 55, reorganized, 6; dead, 30. Number of members April 1st, 1887, 18,657, since initiated, 8,626; total, 27,283, number of members withdrawn, etc., 8,533, present membership, 18,750.

Many valuable suggestions were made in the closing work of the report.

AFTERNOON SESSION.

E. B. Norton, Grand Treasurer, presented his annual report, showing the finances to be in excellent condition.

Mrs. E. E. Caine, General Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, reported that the present number of Temples was 66 and the number of members 1,460, an increase of 11 Temples and 2,301 members.

J. H. Hamilton, Grand Councillor, reported the work done by him during the year. These reports were referred to a committee on distribution.

The lodge then listened to a very interesting recitation by Mrs. Emma E. Knight and a song, "Where Is My Wandering Boy To-night," by A. P. Richardson. N. F. Woodbury, from the Committee on Temperance Literature, gave a very exhaustive report, recommending a course of temperance study for use in lodges, and the report was accepted after being thoroughly discussed.

The following were appointed a committee on resolutions: A. J. Chase, T. W. Winter, H. L. Hunton, W. W. Hooper, G. S. Stevenson, Mrs. Ezra Hawkes, Mrs. H. M. C. Estes, Mrs. Josie R. Pollard.

B. C. Torsey, from the Committee on Appropriations, recommended the following appropriations: For salary of Grand Secretary, $600; for Temperance Record, $200; for printing, $100, for drawback to District Lodges, $175, for postage and express, $250; for R. W. G. L. tax, $350; for supplies, $500; for Juvenile Temple supplies, $125, for Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, $200, for District Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, $150, for institution fees, $300; for services and expenses of Grand Templar, $600; for expenses of Grand Council, $100; for incidentals, $100. The report was adopted.

During the afternoon a discussion took place upon light drinks, such as pop beer and ginger ale, and it was shown conclusively that the lodge was a unit in denouncing their use.

EVENING SESSION.

The early part of the evening session was taken by the discussion of the enforcement of the prohibitory law. State Constable J. W. Mitchell very ably presented a statement of the treatment he had received from Deputy Collector Page, and incidentally mentioned a case of violation of the liquor law which he had witnessed since the afternoon session.

The election of officers resulted as follows:

Grand Chief Templar, J. H. Hamilton, Mattawamkeag.

Grand Councillor, Storer S. Knight, Dorring.

Grand Vice Templar, Mrs. Josie R. Pollard, Biddeford.

Grand Secretary, George E. Brackett, Belfast.

Grand Treasurer, Frank L. Gipson, Stetson.

General Superintendent of Juvenile Temples, Mrs. E. E. Caine, Waterville.

Grand Chaplain, Rev. Marion Crosley, Portland.

Grand Marshal, E. E. White, Lisbon Falls.

This forenoon at 9 o'clock there will be a temperance experience meeting; the regular session will begin at 10; at 2 reports of committees and general closing of business; at 8.30 special meeting confined to the order.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Grand Duchess.

A large audience greeted the Wilbur Opera Company last evening when "The Grand Duchess," the comic military opera by Offenbach, was presented. The opera was given in the usual sprightly and complete manner that is customary with this company, and everything possible in the way of effect was gotten from it. There were no delays and smoothness characterized the presentation. The opera is full of bright airs that were finely sung, and music and acting alike were excellent. The costumes were elegant and the evolutions of the chorus were made with accurate precision. Frequent applause attested the appreciation of the audience.

Miss Kirwin as the "Grand Duchess" sang very finely and acted the character with the grace and dignity befitting the part. Miss Christine was excellent as Wanda, acting with naturalness and ease. Mr. Conley as Fritz did good work, and made the most of his part. Mr. Kohnle assumed the character of General Boum with all the martial fierceness possible and his portrayal was a fine one. Mr. Duffy made a hit as Nepomuc, and created much amusement. Mr. Tre Donick's acting of the character of Baron Puck was excellent and made considerable fun. Messrs. Nares and Clark were very good in their parts.

This afternoon there will be a matinee at which the "Grand Duchess" will be repeated and this evening the "Merry War" will be given.

The entertainments are of a high order and should receive that liberal patronage which they so well merit.

Maggie Mitchell.

Next Monday and Tuesday evenings our theatre goers will be given an opportunity to see and hear the ever welcome Maggie Mitchell, who will appear in her new play "Ray" on Monday and "Fanchon" on Tuesday. The Providence *Journal* says of the new play:

That it is a difficult matter to suit Maggie Mitchell with a new play is evident from the fact that she seldom appears in a new one. That she has held her popularity for a quarter of a century in all characters is as truly evidence that she is a very clever actress. Her appearance at the Providence Opera House last night in an entirely new play must therefore be regarded as a dramatic event of considerable importance. An audience that could not have been comfortably larger welcomed her, called her several times before the curtain, and loaded her with bouquets. "Ray" is a romantic comedy in four acts, written by Mr. Cal Wallace, a Philadelphia journalist. It was read to Maggie Mitchell but a short time ago, but she was so highly pleased with it that she determined to finish her season with it. She and her company began the rehearsal of it three weeks ago, and Providence had the good fortune to witness the first performance. The character of Ray Golden affords the actress plenty of opportunities to display her specially strong characteristics.

Old Town Folks and Other Folks

Mr G F Godfrey went to Boston yesterday noon.

Mr. Edgar Smith, of Brownville, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. F. Shaw is at her home in this city for a few days.

City Marshal Ezra Hawkes, of Portland, was in the city yesterday.

Mr. H. S. Smith left Monday evening for St. Paul on a business trip.

Mr S. B. Gates, of Winn, was at the Penobscot Exchange yesterday.

Mr S. L. Montague, of Cambridge, was at the Bangor House last night.

Henry J. Chapman, Esq. leaves to-day for a few days' trip down river.

Dr. R. K. Jones is very ill and his friends are anxious about his recovery.

Mr H. A. Billington left for Boston yesterday noon on a business trip.

Mr Wm. E. Wood, of the All Rail Line, was in the city yesterday on business.

Mr. and Mrs J. G. Clark returned yesterday from a visit to Fortress Monroe.

Mr. George A. Thatcher has returned from a visit to Boston and Portsmouth.

Mr Sweet, of the Canadian Pacific Railroad, was in the city last night at the Bangor House.

Mr. John W. Gould has returned from a trip to California, Washington Territory and other places.

T. G. Stickney, Esq., and wife leave this morning for Pueblo, Col., where they will visit for some time.

Mrs. Nathan Hopkins has gone to San Francisco, where she will visit her daughter, Mrs. George R. Sanderson, for several months.

Mr. Albert Blackman, of Old Town, and family, and Mr. Freeman Morrill, of Milford, leave next Tuesday for California on Mr. A. W. Benson's excursion.

Mr. Waverly Locket will leave on the boat to-day for a visit to his mother, at his old home in Petersburg, Va., whom he has not seen for thirteen years.

Capt. H. N. Fairbanks, who is making an extensive trip through the West, will be in San Francisco next week

Real Estate.

For Sale in Passadumkeag.

A farm of 450 acres. Cuts fifty tons of hay. Plenty of pasturing, wood and small timber; school house on the premises. Two miles from Post Office, R. R. Station and Steam Saw Mills.

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House on James Street. Apply to JOHN CASSIDY, Iron Street

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The Ellis Farm on Essex Street, 120 acres; other buildings. For sale or exchange for other property. M. LINCOLN, Exchange Street.

FOR SALE.

A cottage house with eight rooms, No. 150 Cedar Street, lot 30 ft. by 70 feet. Inquire of CALVIN KIRK, No. 9 East Summer Street.

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A convenient house built twelve rooms with all modern conveniences. Situated on Cedar Street. Inquire of GEO. W. LADD, 74 Exchange Street.

House for Sale.

Dwelling and 1 acre lot now occupied by Wm. A. Allen, on the corner of Ohio and Walnut streets. Enquire of Mrs. Kimball on the premises or of

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The pleasant house and lot situated at No. 20 Center Street, is offered for sale. For particulars inquire on the premises, or of ARLES P. WEBSTER, 101 Central Street.

FARM FOR SALE.

The well known as the Rogers farm, 1½ miles from Bangor on Stillwater road. Has 75 acres of land, 25 acres orchard of choice fruit, large two story house, painted and finished, 12 finished rooms, piazza and painted front, good well, cistern, poultry and milk house, two cows, one horse, sled, well of never failing water, cistern holding 250 gallons, pump in kitchen, hot and cold water, water closet, bath in the house. Price cheap, one half down, balance by installments. Sold to avoid division of property. Inquire of the owner on the premises.

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Desirable to close an estate, I offer for sale the two upper houses in the Wheeler Block, Hancock Street, either or both together. Will sell for a reasonable consideration, cash terms if desired. Here is an opportunity to obtain a real home at a price within reach of most people. Will also sell the lot on Somerset Street, next to Central Street, for a residence. A very desirable building place. Also to let, the store in the building recently occupied by Mrs. E. B. THATCHER, 58 Exchange Street.

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He was climbing the hurdle on his return to the lane when a small girl in a very short skirt—a girl of timid aspect, carrying a beer jug—dropped him a courtesy and said:

"Please, sir, was it you making of that bell just now?"

"Was it you?" ejaculated the vicar, impatiently. "Yes, it were."

And then, smiling on the small girl, for he had a heart large enough for ever so many parishes of children, he said,

"I am not vexed with you, my dear; I am angry with fate. Tell me all you know about that cottage and I'll give you half a crown."

The girl gasped. She had never possessed a half-crown, but she had an idea it meant abundance. Her father counted his wages by half-crowns, and there were not many in a week's wage.

"Please, sir, Mr. Foy lived there with his sister, but they've left."

"Oh, they've left, have they? When did they leave?"

"Last Monday, sir, and the lady she was very ill, sir, and he took her away in a cab."

"And Mr. Foy has not been back since?"

"No, sir. He left for good, and he gave the key of the cottage to my mother, and the agent is to put up a board next week, and the house is to be let. It was took furnished, and it is to be let furnished again."

"Did they live quite alone? Had they no servants?"

"No, sir, never no regular servant. Mother used to do the cleaning twice a week. Mother's very sorry they're gone. They was good to mother."

"How long had they lived there?"

"Nigh upon a year."

"And the lady was Mr. Foy's sister?"

"Yes, sir."

"And now take me to your mother."

The girl looked wistfully at the jug.

"If you please, I was to fetch father's beer, sir."

"I see. And if you don't fetch it will he angry."

"Yes, sir."

"Then you shall go, but first tell me where your mother lives."

The child pointed down Lawson lane.

"It's the last cottage, sir."

"All right."

Just where the lane straggled off into planted fields and open country there was a row of labourers' cottages, and in the last of these Mr. Lawworthy found a plain little woman with a child in her arms, who proved to be the mother of the small girl with the jug.

The vicar wasted no time in preliminaries. He seated himself on an almost bottomless chair, and, with his stout umbrella planted between his knees, interrogated the matron thus:

"You used to work for Mr Foy and his sister. What do you know about them?"

"Only that they paid me honorable for what I did, sir. I'm bound to speak and say that, whatever anyone may."

"Good. Did they live happily together as—brother and sister?"

"Here the matron began to hesitate. She shifted her baby from one arm to another she gave a deprecating cough.

"I see—they quarrelled sometimes."

"I never seen 'em, sir, for I scarce ever saw Mr Foy. He was off to Grandchester before I want of a morning, and he didn't come back till after I left. I used to go for the half day, you see, sir—not the whole day. But I don's think the young lady was quite happy in her mind. I've seen her fretting, and people will talk, you see, sir—neighbors next door to Rose Cottage have heard them at high words, in summer time, when the windows was all open, or when they was in the garden."

"I see. Had the sister been long ill?"

"No sir, not above a month."

"What was the matter with her?"

"Well, sir, I can't say exactly. It was a sort of wasting sickness like. She couldn't keep nothing on her stomach of late poor dear, and she had pains that racked her, and used to complain of a burning feel in her throat, out of sorts altogether, as you may say. I believe it all came from fretting."

"Why did she fret so much? Was her brother very unkind to her?"

"Sir, I don't think it was his unkindness that worried her. He used to keep very late home—hardly ever coming home till the last train—and that worried her sore, for she was over the worse for drink sometimes, and young man's over was, I believe, of a jealous disposition, and it is right that a man out enjoying himself with other people should be pretty easy her part."

"That was hardly fair, if he intended for kindly when he was at home. A sister has no right to be jealous of a brother."

"I see—they quarrelled sometimes."

"Why, no, sir, leastways she was, and fret she did. I've nobody but him in the world, Mrs. Moff, she said—my name being Mrs—and I can't bear him to be always away. There was a time when he spent all his evenings at home. And then the tears would roll down her poor hollow cheeks, and it would be my heart to see her so miserable. I'm a feller-feeling, you see, sir, for I know how it worries me when my master stops late at the 'Conch and Horses' on a Saturday night."

"Ah, but it's different with a husband. A wife has a right to be exacting—not a sister. Now, tell me how they left the place, and all about it. I'm interested in this poor girl, and perhaps I may be able to befriend her. Where did they go?"

"She was going to take her to some place near the sea, on the other side of Grandchester, and a good way off. The lamp has gone clean out of my head. He was very kind to her from the time she fell ill. She told me so with her own lips. 'Grace,' she never so kind to me in his life,' she says. He fancied it was thinkin' here that she hadn't agree with her, she told me, and it's rather a delicate, sir, sir. I feel it so sometimes myself, and if it wasn't for my drop of beer I should go off in a dead faint."

"What kind of a young woman was Miss Foy? Was she like her brother?"

"No, sir, she were not. I never laid eyes on a brother and sister more unlike. She had been very pretty, there's no denying that, but her nervous worrying ways had that worn and preyed upon her that she was old and haggard before her time. She had light brown hair, and a fair skin and blue eyes and I always she had been a pretty figure before she wasted away like, but her teeth were never good from the time I knew her."

"Did you see her the day she went away?" asked the vicar.

"It wasn't a day, sir. She went late at night by the last train to Grandchester, leaving me to sleep in Grandchester and go on to the seaside next morning, and I do say that it wasn't the right thing for a young person in her state of health to travel late on a winter's night. But there, poor young feller, it wasn't his fault, for he had to be at the office all day."

"She was wrapped up warmly, I suppose?"

"Yes, she wore a thick Scotch plaid shawl that he bought her the winter before."

"Black and red," asserted the vicar.

"Black and red," assented the woman with some astonishment. "One would think you'd seen it, sir."

"I told you I was interested in the young lady," muttered the vicar vaguely.

He took out his memorandum book, and wrote down the date and hour of the young woman's removal from Rose cottage. She had left in the one cab that plied between Parminter village and the Parminter Road station. The cabman could be forthcoming if he were wanted, Mrs. Moff protested.

Mr. Lowerthy rewarded this worthy woman with a crown piece, half of which he stipulated was to be given to the little girl when she came home from her errand, and then he walked briskly back to the station, which was a good half mile from Lawson lane. He was lucky enough to get a train in less than half an hour, and he was back in Grandchester at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Here he took a cab and drove straight to Mr. Bruckbank's office, to whom he imparted all he had done.

"Upon my soul, you're a clever fellow, vicar!" cried the lawyer; "you ought to have been something better than a parson."

"You mean I ought to have been something that pays better. Now, look here, Brockbank, you must start off to Milldale by the first train, and get the coroner to order a post mortem. No, post mortem necessary, forsooth, said that fool of a local surgeon, because the immediate cause of death was obviously laudanum. Why, I'm clear to my mind, from what Eve heard to-day, that this poor creature was slowly done to death by arsenic, and that the dose of laudanum was only given at the last to accelerate the end."

Mr. Brockbank saw the force of this argument, and looked at once to his railway time table.

"There's a train at 4.30," he said; "I can go by that. And now what are you going to do?"

"I shall call on Mr. Umpleby and try and stop to-morrow's wedding."

"What motive can this Foy have had for getting rid of his sister?" speculated the lawyer.

"Very little motive, I should imagine, for getting rid of a sister. But what if the young woman was something more difficult to dispose of than a sister? What if she was his wife? These two young people lived quite alone in a country lane. It was easy for them to live as man and wife, yet pass for brother and sister. The charwoman's account shows that the poor girl was jealous and unhappy. She fretted on account of Foy's late hours. They were overheard quarrelling. Take my word for it, Brockbank, that unfortunate young woman was a wife—a wife of whom Mr. Foy grew mortally tired when he found that it was on the cards for him to marry Miss Umpleby, with a handsome dowry, and the prospect of rapid advancement in the house. Now I want you to set one of your clerks at work, without an hour's delay, to hunt up the evidence of such a marriage, either in church or at a registry office."

"It shall be done," said Brockbank. "Anything more?"

"Only this much. I have written an advertisement, which will appear to-morrow in three local dailies."

He read the draft of his advertisement.

"This may bring the information as to the next stage in that poor young woman's journey after she left Parminter, he said.

"Possibly. You really are a genius in the art of hunting a criminal."

"No, sir, I am only thorough. I would do a good deal more than this to help any one I love. Now I'm off. I dare say you've some business to get through before you start for Milldale."

"Only half a dozen letters to dictate," answered the lawyer lightly, and then he put his lips to a speaking tube and gave an order.

"Send up the short-hand clerk, and have a cab at the door at a quarter past four."

[To be continued.]

Grange Meetings.

Waldo County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Sandy Stream Grange, Frankfort, April 27.

Penobscot County Grange—Next meeting with Pine Grove Grange, Brewer, Saturday, April 28.

Aroostook County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Excelsior Grange, Portland, Wednesday, May 2.

Cumberland County Pomona Grange—Next meeting with Presumpscot Grange, Wednesday, May 2.

Business Items.

In spring time the whole system changes, the blood becomes thinner and we are frequently bilious, our appetite poor, and we need some invigorating medicine to prepare us for summer weather. If we attend to this we will feel better the whole year round. Do not fail to try Bell's Sarsaparilla. You will find it a true medicine and one that will make you strong and well. It has done this for thousands. 50 cts. per bottle everywhere.

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WHOLESALE PRODUCE MARKET.

[Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association.]

SATURDAY, April 21.

State Law Regarding Weights and Measures.

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping, is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of beans, in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds. Of wheat, beets and peas, 60 pounds, of corn, 56 pounds, of onions, 52 pounds, of carrots, turnips, rye and indian meal, 50 pounds, of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds, of oats, 32 pounds, or over measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

APPLES—Per barrel	$2.50@3.00
BEANS—Improved Yellow Eye, per bush	2.40@2.50
Pea, hand picked, per bush	2.70@3.25
BUTTER—Choice new roll, per lb	17@20c
Fair to good	21@22c
CHEESE—Best Factory, per lb (new)	13@14c
Best Dairy, per lb (new)	12@14c
DRIED APPLES—Choice sliced	7@8c
Choice stripe, per lb	7@8c
EGGS—Fresh laid, per doz	15c
HAY—Best loose, per ton	11.00@12.00
Best bales	12.00@13.00
OATS—Per bushel, new, per bush	42@45c
Western	47@50c
PEAS—Per bush	1.25
Pea, whole	1.15@1.20
PORK—Clear	18@19c
Mess	17@18c
Prime	16c
ONIONS—Per lb	1@2c
Per	3.50

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—In boxes, per box	25c
Fine, in 14 lb bags, per bag	25c
Table	25c
Dairy	25c
Per bush	40c
HEMLOCK—In boxes, per box	25c
LARD—Per lb	15@20c
Leaf	20@25c
Southern	16@20c
Western	16@20c
GUNPOWDER—Per lb	1.00@1.25
RICE—Per lb	12@15c
PORK—Per lb	15@17c
POTATOES—Best old, cob, per bush	50
Best old, sliced, per qt	15c
KEROSENE OIL—100 test, per gallon	13c
160 test, per gallon	15c
VINEGAR—Per gallon	25c
Pure W. W.	25@30c
FLOUR—Daily Spring Hand	$6.25@6.50
Best St. Louis	6.50@6.75
Good family	5.25@5.50
CORN—Full weight	70c
CORN MEAL—50 lbs to bush	70c
SHORTS—St. Louis bran, in sacks	$20@21.00
Milwaukee, per hundred	20.00@21.00
MIDDLINGS—Fine, per hundred	1.50@1.60
Coarse	1.45@1.50
COTTON SEED MEAL—In sacks of 100 lbs	1.35@1.40

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OATMEAL—Best Scotch, per lb	5c
Best Irish	5c
Best Canada	4c
RYE MEAL—Per pound	4c
GRAHAM FLOUR—Per pound	4c
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PORK—Mess, clear, per lb	16@18c
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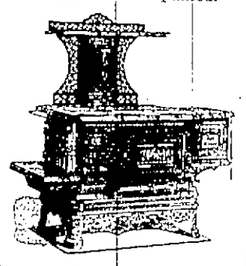

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